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QUINN MADE RECORD

LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL BOY SET A MARK FOR OTHERS TO FOLLOW.

ST. JOE TOOK RECORD CUP

The Trophy Cup Went to Chillicothe, Second Trophy Cup to Platte City and Relay Cup to St. Joseph.

Total Score by Schools.

	Points.
St. Joseph	51½
Chillicothe	29½
Platte City	27½
Savannah	25
Maryville	13
Albany	11½
Ridgeway	4
Braymef	1
Trenton	1
Westboro	1
Stanberry	0
Grant City	0
Princeton	0
Bethany	0

Old Unequaled Records.

120-yard hurdles, 18 1-5 seconds; H. Buckingham, H. Goetze, St. Joseph.

Pole vault, 10 feet 1 inch; E. Jones, Chillicothe.

100-yard dash, 10 3-5 seconds; U. Kewley, St. Joseph.

440-yard dash, 55 3-5 seconds, M. Jones, Chillicothe.

Shot put, 39 feet 7½ inches; E. Miller, Savannah.

Half-mile run, 2 minutes 14 seconds; U. Kewley, St. Joseph.

220-yard dash, 25 seconds; M. Irwin, St. Joseph; E. Miller, Platte City.

Relay race, St. Joseph, 1 minute 42 1-5 seconds.

New Records.

Standing broad jump, 9 feet 10 inches; H. Hayden, Chillicothe.

First record—Mile run, time 4 minutes 59 seconds; E. Lange, St. Joseph. Old record, 5 minues 2 seconds; U. Kewley, St. Joseph; R. Gregory, Albany.

High jump, 5 feet 2¾ inches; H. Hayden, Chillicothe. Old record, 5 feet 2½ inches; E. Jones, Chillicothe; J. Sherwood, J. Minton, St. Joseph Central; S. Hill, Trenton; F. Baker, Platte City.

Hop, step and jump, 40 feet 11 inches; H. Hayden, Chillicothe.

First record—220 hurdles, 28½ seconds; E. Miller, Platte City. Old record, 29 2-5 seconds; W. Siemens, St. Joseph.

[illegible]ing broad jump, 19 feet, 5 [illegible]; O. Quinn, Maryville. Old record, 19 feet 4½ inches; E. Shiflett, [illegible]cothe.

[illegible]scus throw, 108 feet 11 inches; A. [illegible]art, Albany. Old record, 102 feet, 5 [illegible]s; E. Jones, Chillicothe.

Coach Frank Cassidy and his St. Joseph Central high school track team took the lead from the very first in the third annual track and field meet held Saturday at the Northwest Normal athletic park, and carried off first honors with a total of 51½ points. Their closest rival was Chillicothe, with 26½ points. Platte City was third, with 27½. Owing to the rule of the association which excludes all competition for the trophy cups by schools with more than 300 enrollment St. Joseph did not receive the first trophy cup, but they were presented a record cup which goes to the school scoring the largest number of points, regardless of their enrollment. They also won the relay cup. Chillicothe, with the next largest score, won the first trophy cup, and Platte City the second trophy cup. Hayden of Chillicothe scored the largest number of points, 29 being his total. E. Miller of Platte City was second with 20. The prettiest race of the meet was put up by Lange of St. Joseph on the mile run. The little Central man led from the crack of the pistol and finished 75 yards ahead of his nearest opponent. His time was 5.59, which is 3 seconds better than the former record.

Too much credit cannot be given to V. I. Moore, manager and clerk of the course, for the excellent manner in which he managed the meet. Everything started at the time designated, and the events were carried out with almost no delay whatever. Taken as a whole, the third annual meet was the most successful yet held, and that's saying a whole lot, too.

This Year's Results.

120-yard hurdles—First, J. Minton, St. Joseph; second, R. Rice, St. Joseph; third, H. Staples, Maryville; fourth, W. Gee, Savannah. Time, 19 3-5 seconds.

Pole vault—First H. Hayden; second, O. Gamble, Savannah; third, W. Skillman, Platte City; fourth, F. Dray, Savannah. Height, 9 feet 9 inches.

100-yard dash—First, E. Miller, Platte City; second, B. Neidorp, St. Joseph; third, O. Gamble, Savannah; fourth, M. Hendrickson. Time, 11 seconds.

Standing broad jump—First, H. Hayden, Chillicothe; second, J. Minton, St. Joseph; third, O. Gamble, Savannah; fourth, E. Miller, Platte City. Distance, 9 feet 10 inches.

Mile run—First, E. Lange, St. Joseph; second, B. Kline, Savannah; third, J. Stanley, Ridgeway; fourth, C. Barrett, Westboro. Time, 4 minutes 59 seconds.

High jump—First, H. Hayden, Chillicothe; second, J. Minton, F. Baker, Platte City; fourth, L. Waddel, C. Miller, Albany. Height, 5 feet 2 ¾ inches.

440-yard dash—First, E. Miller, Platte City; second, B. Neidorp, St. Joseph; third, R. Dixon, Savannah; fourth, A. Burkart, Albany. Time, 56 seconds.

Hop, step and jump—First, H. Hayden, Chillicothe; second C. Hammack, Ridgeway; third, J. Minton, St. Joseph; fourth, F. Baker, Platte City. Distance, 40 feet 11 inches.

Shot put—First, A. Burkhart, Albany; second, H. Hayden, Chillicothe; third, S. Borden, St. Joseph; fourth, W. Gilmore, Braymer. Distance, 37 feet 10 inches.

Half-mile run—First, E. Lange, St. Joseph; second, R. Dixon, Savannah; third, H. Johnson, St. Joseph; fourth, R. Crane, Trenton. Time, 2 minutes 16 seconds.

220 hurdles—First E. Miller, Platte City; second, H. Staples, Maryville; third, S. Shetler, St. Joseph; fourth, D. Lillibridge, Savannah. Time, 28½ seconds.

Running broad jump—First, O. Quinn, Maryville; second, H. Hayden, Chillicothe; third, J. Minton, St. Joseph; fourth, S. Shetler, St. Joseph. Distance, 19 feet 5 inches.

Discus throw—First, A. Burkhart, Albany; second, H. Hayden, Chillicothe; third, R. Dixon, Savannah; fourth, E. Miller, Platte City. Distance, 108 feet 11 inches.

220-yard dash—First, B. Neidorp, St. Joseph; second, E. Miller, Platte City; third, O. Gamble, Savannah; fourth, H. Staples, Maryville. Time 25 1-5 seconds.

Relay race—First, St. Joseph; second, Savannah; third, Maryville; fourth, Ridgeway. Time, 1 minute 43 seconds.

Notes of the Meet.

Burkhart, the Albany chap who won first in the shot put and discus throw, was protested before the opening of the meet Saturday afternoon. It was questioned as to whether he was within the age limit. The matter will be investigated, and in case Burkhart is ruled out it will cause a change in the score but will not affect the awarding of the cups.

In case Burkhart isn't ruled out it is likely that his discus throw of 108 feet 11 inches, which beat the previous record by 5 feet 8 inches, will hold for some time to come.

The two new events of the meet, the standing broad jump and the running hop, step and jump, seemed to be right in Hayden's line. The big Chillicothe start placed first in both events, his distance for the broad jump being 9 feet 10 inches, and he hopped, stepped and jumped 40 feet 11 inches. Both distances are mighty good for the high school class.

The strong wind handicapped the pole vaulters a great deal. It is probable that record would have been smashed but for the breeze.

E. Jones, Chillicothe's star of former years, was a visitor at the day's proceedings. Jones holds the association record for the pole vault, and held the discus record until Mr. Burkhart's mighty heave of Saturday.

Orlo Quinn, the local athlete who smashed the association record for the running broad jump Saturday, also has the distinction of being the first

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THE BARBARIAN AGE

DR. HALL'S TALK AT NORMAL ON BOYS OF 10 TO 14.

BOY NEEDS THE COUNTRY

Would Have Him Get Close to Nature —Two Lectures at Normal in the Afternoon.

Dr. Winfield Hall, dean of the medical department of Northwestern university of Evanston, Ill., was greeted by a large audience of students and townspeople at the Normal auditorium this morning at the chapel hour. Dr. Hall's talk was along the line of the teachers' and parents' attitude toward the boy of the "barbarian stage," as the speaker termed the youth from 10 to 14 years of age. "Don't grow impatient with the boy of the 'barbarian stage' if he displays that crude, uncouth, barbarian nature. He will get over it in due time. The high school boy in a foot ball match, fighting for glory and for the pleasure of his ardent admirer, who watches his every move from the grand stand, is very closely related to the knight of ancient chivalry, who fought in the tournaments to win the favor of his lady. Get the boy close to nature. The boy needs the country as well as the country needs the boy. When the boy is in harmony with nature he is in harmony with nature's God."

Dr. Hall called the attention of his audience to the fact that since the Normal is located on a hill the students should get a distant view, "and the distant view for you is a strong factor in your education," added the speaker.

Immediately after the address to the general assembly, Dr. Hall gave an invaluable talk to the men.

At 2:30 this afternoon Dr. Hall addresses the young ladies.

At 3:10 the school was addressed by Dr. H. E. Tralle of Mexico, Mo., Mr. Tralle occupies the chair of religious pedagogy at Hardin college. Hardin is the only college in the state with this department of religious work.

Although Monday was more a day of lectures than of recitation at the Normal, the talks, beside being of vital interest and importance, came very opportunely to a large number of students who have been celebrating the past week to such an extent that their Monday lessons were not in the best shape imaginable.

DEATH AT CLYDE.

Jacob Garsche Died at the Age of 85 at the Home of His Son, Northwest of Clyde.

Jacob Garsche, a native of Hungary, died Monday morning about 7 o'clock of the infirmities of old age, at the home of his son, Frank Garsche, living one and a half miles northwest of Clyde.

The funeral services have not been arranged for, as word is being awaited from children from a distance. He is survived by his wife and the following children: Frank Garsche of Clyde, Mrs. J. J. Metcalf, Mrs. Louis Shady and Miss Katie Garsche of St. Joseph, Mrs. Baumgardner of Chicago, Jacob Garsche, Jr., living in Montana, and Will and John Garsche, living in Canada.

Higbee of Harvard, May 2.

LET'S HAVE PEACE

353 BOYS IN NOW

ENROLLMENT IN CORN CONTEST CONTINUES TO GROW.

1000 EXPECTED TO ENTER

Maryville and Hopkins Lead in Number of Entries—Edna C. Tucker of Ravenwood a Contestant.

County Superintendent W. M. Oakerson gave out Monday the second list of boys in Nodaway county enrolled for the county corn growing contest to be held in the city next fall. There are 353 boys enrolled for this contest to date. Many more are expected, and Prof. Oakerson hopes that there will be 1,000.

The following are the boys enrolled for the contest since the first list of names was printed several weeks ago:

Elmo—Galen Kinman.

Guilford—Hamon Greggs.

Wilcox—Orville Vert.

Conception—Thomas Boschert, Andrew Urie, Joseph C. Donald.

Quitman—Jesse Logan, Atlee Logan, Horace W. Reed.

Sheridan—Leslie Dukes, George Dukes.

Clyde—Henry C. Hanson, Delbert A. Ambrose, John Henggler, Thomas Archer.

Parnell—Charlie Wilson, Martin B. Farrell, Elias Echterling, Thomas E. Farrell, Clifford Jennings.

Burlington Junction—Jake Vulgamott, Fred Miller, Lloyd Brown, Everett Fast, Willie Walker.

Graham—Russell Burris, C. H. Talbott, Robert Burns, Harry Suetterlin, Doyle Wright, John Ripley.

Ravenwood—Edna C. Tucker, Ray Hardy, Everett M. Tucker, Leo McKee, Leo Graham, Ernest Graham.

Barnard — Brunson Job, Loris O'Howell, Rex Hainey, Leslie C. Goforth, Willie VanFossan, Leslie McMacken, Fred L. Tompkins, Aubrey Parrish, Charles Hartman, Holten Fannon, Albert Fannon, Charlie Rasco, Joseph Dobbins, Emmett Fannon, Cleo Shinabargar, LeRoy Shinabargar.

Clearmont—Leo Owens, William Zwilling, Harry Holmes, Mearl Simpson, Aaron Kellogg, Chester H. Bancroft, E. Clarke Bancroft, Floyd Coulter, Orval Coulter.

Pickering—Champ C. Rice, Harold McClurg, Forest Hinton, Milton J. Hull, Emery R. Lee, Arthur Weaver, Marvin S. Carmichael, Earl McClurg.

Skidmore—Burnice McNeal, Jonathan Cryder, Frank Lehman, Dean H. Coslee, Ernest Wampler, Charlie H. Rockwell, Ralph Peter, Earl Hall, Horlis Hays, Ivan Argo, Virgil Argo, Ralph Henderson, Glen Dee Ulmer.

Hopkins—Charles Massie, Ralph Anderson, Carl Anderson, Albert Glines, Harry Glines, Floyd Pope, Earl Pope, Ernest Snodgrass, Farrell Malone, Hobart Proctor, Henry Morehouse, Ernest Mosley, John Young, Rolla Fleming, Kenton Thompkins, Earl Snodgrass, Russell Train, Hobart Collins, Murl Hopple, Ralph Ratekin, Roy Ringgold, Billie Ingalls, Carl Prather, Guy Wray, Carl Coleman, Ralph G. Tatman, Farrell Malone, Fay Balck, John L. Nicholson, Harley Morehouse, Andy Morehouse, Don Albright, Frank Davis, Harold Livasy, Floyd Morehouse, Ross Wells, Dewey Morehouse, George Trueblood, Harvey Davison.

Maryville—Robert C. Powell, Carl Dempsey, Harvey Dempsey, Harvey Watson, Myron Baker, Cecil Grooms, W. T. Garrett, Ira Carr, Harry M. Charles, Denny Sherlock, Thomas Kane, Frankie Kane, Jefferson Monroe, Paul Fisher, Peter Paul Smith, Cleo B. Trusty, Leslie Lanning, Gene Aley, Lester Pierpoint, J. Parr, Roy Strauch, George Neff, Clyde Sawyers, Walter Wilson, Arthur Jackson Wilson, Clarence Rice, Lynn Garrison, Lawrence Schafer, Edgar McClurg, Fred Gray, Jack O'Connell, Ralph E. Wray, George A. Greeson, Ralph E. Palmer, Everett L. Renshaw, Malcolm Wells, Charlie Wells, Harold Erickson, Donald Hall, Frances R. Halasey, Cecil E. Lawson, James C. Halasey, Eugene Hall, John Brennan, Lester Masters, Ora Carr, Virgil Gray, Dale Thompson, Ralph Aley, Henderson Aley, Harry Burr, Guy D. Aley.

FUNERAL TO BE HELD TUESDAY.

Of Mrs. I. B. Young at the Christian Church in Quitman, Conducted by Rev. S. D. Harlan.

Funeral services for Mrs. I. B. Young, who died on Friday, will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Christian church in Quitman, the services to be conducted by Rev. S. D. Harlan of Maitland.

Mrs. Young was born on March 25, 1851, near Dover, Fayette county, Mo. She was married to Isaac B. Young, September 14, 1871, and to them four children were born, one dying in infancy. The other children surviving are Samuel Curtis Young of Idaho; Logan Douglas and Russell Byron Young of Quitman.

The Youngs located in Nodaway county immediately after their marriage. In 1898 they left the farm and moved to Quitman. Mr. Young died there August 3, 1910, his death being caused from a fall from a load of lumber.

The cause of Mrs. Young's death was bronchial pneumonia, she having contracted a severe cold only a few days ago, while in the country at the home of her son, who is foreman on the R. J. Bilby ranch. Quitman has lost one of her best citizens. Mrs. Young was a member of the Christian church, having joined that church while quite young.

SACRED BAND CONCERT.

Was Very Much Enjoyed by a Large Crowd at the Christian Church Sunday Afternoon.

The sacred band concert given by the Maryville band, Prof. L. V. Lawler, director, at the Christian church, Sunday afternoon, was attended by a very large crowd, standing room being at a premium. The concert was given as a memorial to the hero musicians on the Titanic who went down with the ship. It was enjoyed very much by those in attendance.

Rev. C. J. Miller, pastor of the church, gave a short memorial address. A sacred duet was given by Mrs. F. P. Robinson and H. J. Becker, a cornet solo by Ed Schumacher and a trombone solo by Lloyd Miles.

The Titanic Band.

All glory and honor and praise for that band
Of heroic musicians that so nobly did stand
In a body together on that sinking vessel,
Expecting each moment with the wild waves to wrestle,
Making sweet music and quelling the panic
That seemed inevitable on the unfortunate Titanic.
Help us, dear Father, a lesson to find
In the lives of those people so good and so kind,
As to risk certain death in the northern Atlantic,
And still do their duty on board the Titanic,
So that of us all the world can say
That we were as brave and noble as they
That went to their water grave in the sea,
Playing the sweet strains of "Nearer, My God, to Thee."

E. L. D.

Guests at Raines Home.

Mrs. L. Z. Emmert of Tarkio and Miss Edith Raines of St. Joseph were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Raines Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Emmert is a sister-in-law of Mrs. Raines. Miss Raines, who is a sister of Mr. Raines, came Friday night to join the St. Joseph high school students who were here for the track meet.

Miss Myrtle Sheldon, who has been singing in evangelistic meetings at Weston for several weeks, returned home Monday. She will assist the evangelist in meetings being held at the M. E. church, South, of this city after Tuesday.

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PETITION IS FILED

WILLIAM A. HELLER ASKS COURT FOR SALOON LICENSE.

WILL COME UP MONDAY

Twenty-Two Signers to Petition, Who Are All Said to Be Qualified—at Lippman's Old Stand.

Maryville may have another saloon soon, as an application for a dramshop license was filed last week with County Clerk George Demott by William A. Heller, who wants a license to run a saloon in the Lippman building, where the Oak saloon was formerly.

Mr. Heller has twenty-two signers to his petition, and states in his application that the applicant is not disqualified under any law to receive license to keep a dramshop, and that he is not the agent or representative of or partner with any person so disqualified; and that the owner of the dramshop for which application is made is W. A. Heller.

The county court, which will meet next Monday, will take up the application. It is thought that the license will be issued, as there seems to be no grounds for a fight against Heller.

It is understood that the "dry" people are making no effort whatever as they think that Heller has enough signers and is qualified to receive the license.

Maryville has been running with one saloon for nearly three months. The county court, at the February term, refused to grant a license to the Oak saloon, Adolph Lippman, proprietor, at that time, as he did not have enough signers to his petition. Many seem to think that since we have one saloon it is just as well to have two, and no more.

TO GENERAL CONFERENCE.

Rev. W. B. Christy Left for Minneapolis Monday for Month's Absence.

Superintendent W. B. Christy of the Maryville M. E. conference district, left Monday noon for Minneapolis, Minn., to attend the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, which convenes in that city all during the month of May. This conference takes in the world's work of this church and meets but once in four years.

There are three ministerial delegates from Missouri. Dr. W. B. Christy of Maryville, Rev. J. W. Anderson of Kahoka and Superintendent W. F. Burris of the Cameron district.

The lay delegates from Missouri are Mr. Homer Hall of Trenton, Mr. John L. Beagler of Bethany and Mr. S. H. Prather of Tarkio.

RAIN HALTED WORK.

Workmen Unable to Do Anything on Excavating at Postoffice Site.

Work was halted on the excavating of the postoffice site Monday on account of the rain of Sunday night. It is expected that the excavating will be finished this week, and then the foundation work will start. Many cars of material have been ordered and will arrive soon, a car of sand and stone already being here.

F. D. Krenz, who started the work on the building, will leave tonight for LaPorte, Ind., where the Lovell company of Minneapolis, Minn., has a contract for a government building. J. R. Edwards of Rome, Ga., is to be in charge of the work here for the construction company and Mr. Gobel for the government.

Is Nurse in Hospital.

Miss Alice Ford of Guthrie, Okla., arrived in Maryville Sunday night on a visit to her parents, Rev. Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Ford. Miss Ford has been taking training in nursing in a Methodist hospital at Guthrie for nearly two years.

Walter Mendenhall, editor of the Burlington Junction Post, and D. C. Simmons, editor of the Sheridan Advance, were in Maryville Saturday.

THE WEATHER

Generally fair tonight and Tuesday; rising temperature Tuesday.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For County Treasurer.

I wish to announce that I will be a candidate for county treasurer on the Democratic ticket, subject to the primary election in August.

SAMUEL H. WILLIAMS.

This paper is authorized to announce that E. F. Wolfert of Maryville will be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for county treasurer, subject to the decision of the primary in August.

We are authorized to announce Jesse B. Joy of Elmo as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Treasurer, subject to the August primary.

For Sheriff.

We are authorized to announce that Ed Wallace of Atchison township will be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for sheriff of Nodaway county, subject to the decision of the primary in August.

We are authorized to announce Luke P. Colvin as a candidate for sheriff, subject to the decision of the Democratic voters at the August primary.

TO GIVE COMEDY DRAMA.

The Owls to Put on Show at Empire Thursday Night for Benefit of Carl Wright.

The Owls' benefit play for Carl Wright will be given Thursday night, May 2, and promises to be a good home talent performance. The play that will be given will be "Higbee of Harvard," and the cast consists of H. J. Becker, Lester Bennett, W. G. Price, W. A. Robertson, Glenn Goff, Misses Alma Nash, Besse Scott, Helen Paul and Mary O'Brien.

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Organized a Music Class.

Miss Eva Davis went to Ravenwood Monday to begin her work there in music formerly held by Miss Eva Spickerman. She will visit Ravenwood every Monday and Thursday. Miss Davis is a graduate and postgraduate of the Maryville Conservatory. She also has a class of music at Bolckow, where she goes each Wednesday.

Will Move to Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Smith of Barnard, who have been in Maryville several weeks on account of Mrs. Smith's illness at St. Francis hospital, returned to Barnard Monday morning. They will leave in a few days for Greeley, Col., where they may conclude to locate. They will live in Colorado in future, where Mr. Smith will invest in land.

Guests of Van Steenbergh's.

Mrs. E. C. Wolfers, Jr., and son, Mr. Maurice Wolfers, of Hopkins; Mr. Tom Montgomery of Bolckow and Misses Bessie and Blanche Ruddle of Tarkio were track meet guests on Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Harold VanSteenbergh and Mr. and Mrs. G. A. VanSteenbergh.

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Visited Student Sons.

Attorney T. A. Cummins and Mr. John Murrin spent Sunday in Atchison, Kan., at Mt. St. Scholastic seminary, with their sons, Andy Chris Cummins and John Owen Murrin who are students of that school.

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Miss Helwig's Guests.

Miss Elizabeth Brainard, county superintendent of schools of Grundy county, and Miss Ida Lilly, teacher of history in the Trenton high schools, were track meet guests of Miss Katharine Helwig.

Albert Felix of Clyde visited in Maryville Sunday with the family of her brother, Aaron Felix.

PENNANTS All kinds at Crane's

QUINN MADE RECORD

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Maryville contestant to place first in any event in the meets held here thus far. Quinn also broke the running broad jump record at the tri-state meet at Tarkio last year.

Harold Staples, captain of the Maryville high school track team, who placed second in the 220 hurdles, third in the 120 hurdles, and fourth in the 220-yard dash, is only a sophomore in the high school, and he will doubtless be heard from in the meets in the future.

When it comes to rooting you'll have to hand it to the St. Joseph crowd. They accompanied their team, 100 of them, and the encouragement that they gave their heroes would have inspired any team to "do things."

The Platte City delegation ran St. Joseph hard for the rooting honors. One spectator ventured to assert that the Platte City rooters were all direct descendants of auctioneers, judging from their lung capacity.

The local high school scored the same number of points as they did last year, but they landed in fifth place, while last year they finished sixth.

There were twelve relay teams entered in the relay race, but only four of them competed

The crowd that thronged the grand stand and bleachers and overflowed out onto the campus at either end of the grandstand might be estimated at 2,500.

The Maryville Concert band furnished the music throughout the afternoon, and the musicians were repeatedly cheered by the throng.

The field was alive with amateur photographers, and very shortly after the meet every other small chap greeted you with "Pictures of the track meet, mister?"

As soon after the meet as the official scorer could figure up the standing of the teams the medals and cups were presented from the band stand. President H. K. Taylor presented the medals to the lucky contestants, and each presentation was accompanied by cheers and congratulations. Hon. W. A. Blagg, president of the board of regents, presented the cups to the representatives of the winning schools.

Although there were two more events than last year and eleven more contestants, the meet closed almost two hours earlier than last year. This may partly be attributed to the fact that the events began on time, but principally because those in charge were onto their job as to how to handle affairs. The manner in which V. I. Moore, clerk of the course, and L. M. Eck, head field judge, kept the events going, was a joy to behold. If you think managing a meet isn't a man's job just try it once.

The gate receipts Saturday were about the same as they were last year, although some thought that the crowd was not as large as in 1901.

No one but officials and contestants were allowed on the field Saturday, but there were still too many people there for the good of the contestants and the spectators in the grandstand.

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Today's Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—25,000. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 4,000.

Hogs—55,000. Market 5c lower; top, $8.00. Estimate tomorrow 17,000

Sheep—18,000. Market 25c higher.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—6,000. Market steady.

Hogs—7,000. Market 5c lower; top, $8.00.

Sheep—11,000. Market strong.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—5,000. Market steady.

Hogs—7,600. Market slow; top, $8.00.

Sheep—4,500. Market 25c higher.

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Car of Automobiles.

Mason & Wilderman, auto agents, received a car of R. H. C. automobiles, they being agents for this machine.

Spent Sunday in St. Joseph.

W. A. Miller, Frank Reavis and J. E. McIntire of the Bee Hive shoe store spent Sunday in St. Joseph with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Armstrong of Clarinda, Ia., visited over Sunday in Maryville with Mrs. Armstrong's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Armstrong of East First street.

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Mr. and Mrs. Russell Thompson and children returned to their home near Hopkins Monday from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Egley, north of the city.

Higbee of Harvard, May 2.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

House Party Guests.

Miss Lillian Strop and Mr. Phillip Strop of St. Joseph and Messrs. Robert and Russell Burris of Graham were house party guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Holmes, on Grand avenue, during the oratorical contest and track meet.

Sunday Dinner Guests.

Mr. Ova Goff and Mr. Clark Goff of Barnard were dinner guests on Sunday of Mr. Harold Staples. Clark Goff came to Maryville Friday night to attend the oratorical contest and track meet as the guest of his brother, a member of the 1912 graduating class of the high school.

Chafing Dish Supper.

Miss Allie Fraser entertained with a chafing dish supper Sunday evening, complimentary to her guest, Miss Helen Ardery of St. Joseph. Those present were Miss Ardery, Miss Grace Sturm and her cousin guest, Miss Gertrude Sturm of Conception; Mr. Homer Shipps, Mr. Magnus Tate, Mr. Fred Lewis and Mr. Elmore Frank.

House Party Guests.

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Brown entertained with a house party during the oratorical contest and track meet. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. H. McMaster and Mrs. McMaster's sister, Miss Lulu Corbin, principal of the high school at Hopkins, Robert Wolfers of Hopkins, Warner Woods and Miss Elta Woods of Bolckow and Frederick Neudorf, Jr., of St. Joseph.

Guests at Sunday Dinner.

Miss Grace Sturm, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Sturm was hostess at a dinner Sunday given for Miss Margaret Johnson and Miss Helen Ardery of St. Joseph, who are visiting in the city. Covers were laid for Miss Johnson, Miss Ardery, Miss Allie Fraser, Miss Cecil Benight, Miss Neva Airy, and Miss Gertrude Sturm and Mr. Otto Sturm of Clyde, cousins of the hostess.

Slumber Party and Breakfast.

Miss Helen Ford and Miss Cecil Benight gave a slumber party Saturday night, at Mis Ford's home to Miss Marie Brink's guest, Miss Margaret Johnson of St. Joseph. The company, aside from the hostesses and honor guest, included Miss Marie Brink, Miss Maud Bainum, Miss Elise Jackson, Miss Brownie Toel and Miss Grace Sturm. They attended the picture show early in the evening and later went to the Elks club, where an informal dance was given for them by Mr. Fred Bellows, Mr. Frank Schumacher, Mr. F. R. Marcel and Mr. Foster Thompson. The slumber party awakened at a seasonable hour Sunday morning, in time for a dainty breakfast served by Mrs. J. A. Ford, and attended church services at the First Presbyterian church.

Postponed Her Trip.

Scribner Beech, Jr., has received word from his sister, Mrs. Curtis Alexander of san Luis Potosi, Mexico, in which she says that the threatened danger for Americans has died down some and she will postpone her trip home to Maryville for an indefinite time unless hostilities should begin again soon.

Misses Edith Porter and Lucy Barrett returned to their home at Skidmore Monday morning, after a visit during track meet with Miss Bessie Porter, a State Normal student, who is making her home with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Welborn.

Higbee of Harvard, May 2.

Mrs. R. H. Perry, who has been spending the past winter with her daughter, Mrs. Nicholas Sowder, at Higginsville, Mo., returned to Maryville Monday.

Miss Austie Cowan returned to her home near Hopkins Monday from a visit in Maryville with friends since the contest and track meet.

Higbee of Harvard, May 2.

Miss Edna King of Parnell returned home Monday, having been in the city since Friday for the contest and track meet.

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LYONS WINS CASE.

Was Decided by K. C. Court of Appeals and Was Reversed and Remanded With Directions.

Attorney J. C. Growney received a telegram today from the clerk of the Kansas City court of appeals stating that the case of the state ex rel Lyons against the Bank of Conception was reversed and remanded with directions. This was a suit by mandamus by which Frank Lyons sought to compel the Bank of Conception to restore to him the rights, privileges and benefits of a stockholder in said bank.

The judgment of the Nodaway county circuit court was rendered in favor of the bank and against Lyons. From this judgment Lyons appealed to the Kansas City court of appeals, with the result as above stated. Mr. Growney was the attorney for Lyons in the appellate court.

DR. TRALLE SPOKE

To a Good Audience, Notwithstanding the Rainy Day.

Dr. H. E. Tralle spoke to a good audience of Sunday school workers at the Baptist church Sunday afternoon, after the band concert.

Dr. Tralle holds that a Sunday school should be a real school, and that its teachers should be trained teachers—those who are from classes in pedagogy and psychology and have been taught proper training methods. He believes that the classes in Sunday school should be graded and a course of study marked out suitable to the group of the students.

He convinced all who heard him of the colossal importance of the work, and inspired every one with a desire for better and more thorough study.

SUNDAY SCHOOL TO GIVE $100.

First M. E. Church Sunday School to Donate That Amount for Carl Wright.

The Sunday school of the First M. E. church will give $100 to the Carl Wright fund, so it was announced Sunday. Nearly all of the classes contributed to the fund.

Working in Rock Pile.

John Hays was arrested Saturday night by Marshal Moberly and was fined $5 and costs Monday by Mayor Robey for being drunk. Being unable to pay the fine, Hays has to work on the rock pile back of the city jail. There are two city prisoners at work on the pile.

Was a Nice Rain.

Rain fell in Maryville Sunday afternoon and night, and according to Weather Observer Brink the rainfall amounted to 1.11 inches.

Were Arrested.

Rufus Palmer and Chester Williams, both colored, were arrested Monday by Marshal Moberly on a charge of being drunk.

Higbee of Harvard, May 2.

J. W. Ray and A. J. Anderson left Sunday for a several weeks' trip in Idaho. Mr. Ray will visit his son and daughter, Lawrence and Miss Alice Ray, at St. Anthony, Idaho, and may remain there during the summer.

Returned to Indiana.

Dr. Harry Hosmer left Monday morning for his home in Gary, Ind. Mrs. Hosmer and baby son will remain for a longer visit.

Higbee of Harvard, May 2.

Fashions Long Kept Up.

The British admiralty's annual order for black silk handkerchiefs for the navy, recently placed for 90,000, led to inquiry:, "why black?" It is said to be as mourning for Nelson's death at Trafalgar. Another instance of long-continued mourning is shown in the dark clothes officially worn by the Anglo-Saxon race; at the decease of the duke of Gloucester, Queen Anne's heir-apparent, the bar went into mourning and has never doffed this, though the lapse of the Stuart dynasty on the British throne was scarcely to be regretted. Doubtless the largest following of one fashion by men was after Alexander set the style of having the face clean-shaven; this was kept up by the Graeco-Roman world for five hundred years.

Youthful Musical Genius.

Rennes, a sleepy Brittany town, which is known in contemporary history chiefly because the second Dreyfus court-martial was held there, has recently discovered in its midst a musical prodigy. A local professor vouches for this discovery. Young Rene Guillou is aged seven. He is not only a virtuoso on the piano; he is also a composer. He possesses ear to a remarkable degree, and distinguishes every note in symphonic music. According to the master, he hears music inwardly. He composes for voices and instruments without making use of any instrument whatever, writing down melody and accompaniment on to the paper.

WARSHIPS OFF FOR MEXICO

Two Torpedo Boat Destroyers Leave Under Sealed Orders.

TO CONVOY TRANSPORT BUFORD

Preble and Perry, Largest Vessels at San Diego—Forty Enlisted Men and Complete Hospital Equipment Taken Also.

San Diego, Ca., April 29.—Shortly after midnight the torpedo boat destroyers Preble and Perry, the largest vessels of the flotilla, slipped out of the harbor and went to sea with sealed orders. That they are bound for the west coast of Mexico is the general belief.

Buford's Orders Changed.

San Francisco, April 29.—The transport Buford, under orders to sail as a relief ship for 1,000 Americans in distress on the west coast of Mexico, received supplementary orders during the afternoon and sailed at 9 o'clock at night. She carries 40 enlisted men as a guard.

It is understood that the Buford put in at San Diego for a convoy. Robert T. Bain is navigation officer of the Buford, under command of Quartermaster Capt. Frank D. Ely. Capt. Herbert J. Brees of the first cavalry commands the guard. The ship carried a surgeon and complete hospital equipment.

American Girl Beaten.

Fort Worth, Tex., April 29.—A brutal assault by a crowd of Mexicans, daily threats of death, a bombardment of stones that crashed through windows and doors and a wild ride to the border was the experience of Miss Mamie Ross, a 19-year-old American teacher of music at Durango, Mexico. Miss Ross has just arrived here and says that a few days ago while 20 feet from her home she was attacked and beaten.

Tell of American's Murder.

San Francisco, Cal., April 29.—The steamer Newport arrived here bringing 57 passengers from ports in Western Mexico and details of the brutal murder of an American named White by a band of Mexican outlaws.

White, the owner of a plantation about 100 miles from Acapulco, was supposed to have considerable money. Bandits raided the plantation and when White refused to reveal the whereabouts of his money his captors trussed him up to a tree and then plunged their knives into his body.

Half of the Newport's passengers were women. Most of them came from Manzanillo.

Taft Left Out Politics.

Philadelphia, April 29.—President Taft let politics rest here. Questions of his renomination and his conflict with Col. Roosevelt, which has reached the stage of acute personalities, were forgotten and it was "Taft the student of history" who addressed the Union League club here. His topic was Gen. U. S. Grant, greatest of Northern generals, and he paid high tribute to the memory of the savior of the Union.

Senator Peffer Recovering.

Topeka, April 29.—W. A. Peffer, the first and only Populist United States senator from Kansas, has had to undergo a second operation. A leg was amputated seven weeks ago because of possible blood poisoning and surgeons found that part of the bone still was affected and had to be removed. The second operation was not serious and Senator Peffer is recovering rapidly.

Spend $1,500,000 on Levees.

Washington, April 29.—An immediate appropriation of $1,500,000 for the rebuilding and repairing of levees on the Mississippi and its tributaries was made certain when the house passed the senate's joint resolution authorizing the expenditure. Representative Humphries of Mississippi called for the resolution in the house, and it passed without objection.

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Mrs. Paul Ream of Kansas City is visiting her father, Joseph Jackson Sr., and family.

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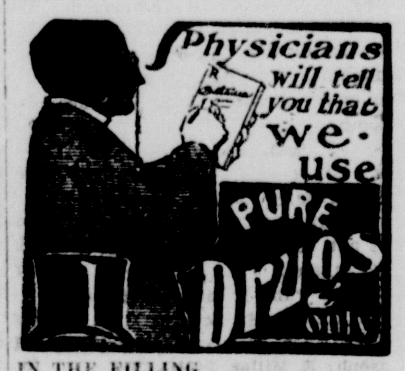

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NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, John F. Roelofson, public administrator, in charge of the estate of E. E. Bowers, deceased, will make final settlement of his accounts with said estate as such public administrator, at the next term of the probate court of Nodaway county, Missouri, to be holden at Maryville, in said county, on the 13th day of May, A. D. 1912.

JOHN F. ROELOFSON
Public Administrator

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Ada M. Jones, administratrix of the estate of James Jones, deceased, will make final settlement of her accounts with said estate as such administratrix at the next term of the probate court of Nodaway county, Missouri, to be holden at Maryville, in said county, on the 13th day of May, A. D. 1912.

ADA M. JONES,
Administratrix.

Tuesday's Best Grocery Bargains

CALIFORNIA SLICED PEACHES, 2½-lb tins, each, 18c; 3 for.....50c
3-lb cans YELLOW PEELED PEACHES, cans chuck full.....11c
PICKLED PORK, select pieces, lb 12c
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REX BRAND PICNIC HAMS, sugar cured, per lb.....12c
Weigh from 8 to 12 lbs.
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George Washington COFFEE—3-lb $1.00 cans finest MOCHA AND JAVA special at per can.....90c
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10c cans MUSTARD SARDINES...6c
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TORNADO AGAIN SWEPT OKLAHOMA

Storm Starting in Texas, Leaves Path of Death and Destruction.

FIFTY-FOUR DEAD IN TWO STATES

Many Towns in Ruins, Trains Blown From Tracks and Wires Down Everywhere—Property Damage Will be Enormous.

Oklahoma City, Ok., April 29.—The death list of the tornado that swept a part of Oklahoma and Texas is expected to reach 60. Fifty-four deaths have been reported. The injured list will run into the hundreds. Wire facilities are demoralized and it is impossible to communicate with several of the stricken towns.

As detailed reports come in news from many places now inaccessible on account of high water and destruction of telephone lines probably will add to the losses already tabulated. It is now known that 20 towns were struck by the storm. Two of them, Butler and Foss, were destroyed.

The greatest loss of life reported is at Lugert, where 15 persons were killed. A special train sent from Altus with physicians and nurses when it was reported a passenger train had been blown from the rails, picked up ten injured persons and started back for Altus.

Two of these, Mrs. Lee Stanaland and Miss Eva Stanaland, died on the train.

Seven Killed in Texas.

The tornado started just across the Texas border and first killed seven persons at Kirkland, Tex., demolishing 30 buildings and blew a Rock Island work train off the track.

Tearing on northward, the storm struck Elderado, killing four; Calumet, killing three, and Lugert; Rocky, where half the town is in ruins; Yukon, Warren, Martha, Blair and Lone Wolf. At each of these places many persons were injured. Several of these towns are cut off from communication. What is believed to be the tail of the storm destroyed several buildings at Mulhall, 50 miles north of Oklahoma City.

The storm entered the southwestern portion of the state and traveled in a northeasterly direction, almost across the state, rising and dipping again at intervals until it finally spent its force in Kay county.

Three Dead at Calmet.

At El Reno, two persons, Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Thompson, were killed, and William Moore, and an infant named Griffith, injured by the storm. At Calumet, ten miles west of there. Several buildings were blown down.

El Reno also reports that word was received there, before storms interrupted wire service, that the little town of Aledo, in Dewey county, was blown away.

In Texas the storm played greatest havoc near Kirkland, where seven persons were killed. Thirty farm buildings were wrecked and a Rock Island work train of nine cars was blown from the track. The wind was accompanied by a "cloudburst," Kirkland reporting a fall of four inches within 35 minutes.

SAYS LEAVENWORTH IS CLEAN

Mayor Files Answer to Contempt Proceedings in Topeka—Blames Other Towns for Trouble.

Topeka, April 29.—Mayor Albert Doege and B. F. Endres, city attorney of Leavenworth, were in Topeka and filed the answers in the contempt proceedings brought against the mayor, 17 police officers and several disorderly characters for violating the order of the supreme court in paying into the city forfeited bonds in lieu of license fees. In the answer it is shown that Mayor Doege had discharged the chief of police and seven patrolmen against whom the attorney general had evidence of incompetency. These were the police officers the attorney general found were not helping in keeping the joints closed.

The mayor, in his answer, asserted that Leavenworth was in good shape as far as law enforcement is concerned, but he shows that on the pay day of the soldiers at the fort and on pension day at the Soldiers' home, the bootleggers and disreputable characters from Kansas City and St. Joseph flock to Leavenworth.

Both Sides Named Delegates.

Dodge City, Kan., April 29.—The Republican convention, held here for the selection of delegates to the county convention, next Tuesday, ended in a split. The Taft men held a general caucus of all the wards and elected Taft delegates. The Roosevelt crowd held ward caucuses at the same time, in the same room, and elected Roosevelt delegates. The fight will be made over the delegates in the convention.

A $100,000 Fire at Joplin.

Joplin, Mo., April 29.—Fire starting at midnight in a department store at Eighth and Main streets spread to the second floor of the building used as an annex to the Clarketon hotel and caused a damage of $100,000 before placed under control at 1 o'clock a. m. Hotel guests sleeping in the annex escaped with their belongings.

ROAD BOOMERS CELEBRATED

FARMERS STOPPED WORK AND GATHERED AT SEDALIA.

Had Street Parade Ten Blocks Long, With Display of Road Machinery and Enthusiastic Speeches.

Sedalia, Mo., April 29.—"Sedalia has done more than vote $200,000 for rock roads in its own neighborhood. She has started a movement that will not end until every city in Missouri is connected by rock roads," declared Curtis Hill, state highway engineer, addressing hundreds of Pettis and Johnson County farmers here.

Sedalia and the farmers of its 12-mile road district stopped work to gather here and celebrate the voting of $200,000 in road bonds which carried 9 to 1 at a special election a week ago. Visitors came for miles around, thronging the streets like a state fair crowd. At 1 o'clock a street parade ten blocks long passed, gay with flags and bunting, through the downtown streets.

It was a display of road building machinery, road materials, advertising floats, bands and city folk and farmers in carriages and on horse back. The parade ended at the court house, where Curtis Hill of Columbia, C. C. Kelley, Judge George F. Longan and W. D. Steele, all of Sedalia, spoke to an audience that jammed full the circuit court room.

Judge Longan, as did Mr. Hill, urged Jonhson county, which adjoins Pettis to take up the proposed rock road to Kansas City. It was explained that Jackson county and Cass county already have a rock road to Pleasant Hill and to complete the route 42 miles of road in Johnson and seven in Cass are necessary.

The speakers were cheered in their pleas for more roads. It was one of the biggest good roads meetings ever held in the state, said Curtis Hill. During the day Mr. Hill was invited to address a similar meeting which will be arranged at Warrensburg early in May. Residents of that city here were eager that there be an early organization there for rock roads.

ST. JOSEPH YOUTH SHOT BROTHER

Fired Also at His Father and Escaped —Later Surrendered and Was Locked Up.

St. Joseph, Mo., April 29.—Charles Anderson, 19 years old, shot his brother, Walter, 27 years old, and then shot at his father, but the bullet went astray. Walter Anderson died in an ambulance on the way to the hospital.

The parents were arrested and the slayer escaped, but later surrendered to the police and was locked up. Young Anderson and his mother say he shot when the elder son struck the mother in a family quarrel in which the dead man and his father were arrayed against the younger son and his mother. The Andersons operate a transfer line.

NO PRIZE FIGHTS IN MISSOURI

Governor Hadley Threatens to Use Militia if Necessary to Stop Proposed Springfield Bout.

Jefferson City, April 29.—Gov. Hadley has addressed letters to Sheriff William E. Freeman and Prosecuting Attorney J. H. Mason of Greene county notifying them that if they do not take immediate official steps to prevent a prize fight advertised to take place at Springfield the night of May 2, in which Carl Morris is billed for a 10-round bout, he will invoke other authority to prevent the contemplated violation of law.

Asked what steps he would take in the event the local officers do not act, the governor replied that he would call out a company of the national guard.

Meningitis Death in Parsons.

Parsons, Kan., April 29.—The first fatality from spinal meningitis occurred here when the seven-months-old son of Mrs. Mollie Berry died. The child was sick only two days. The physicians are taking great precautions to prevent the spread of the disease.

MONEY BACK.

Hyomei is Guaranteed to End the Misery of Catarrh, Colds, Sore Throat and Croup.

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Higbee of Harvard, May 2.

BASE BALL GOODS A full line at **Crane's**

MAY DEPEND ON MASSACHUSETTS

Leading Republican Candidates Both Making Hard Fight in State.

CAMPAIGN HAS BEEN STRENUOUS

Expected That 450,000 Voters Will Express Their Choice at First Presidential Primary Ever Held in Bay State.

Boston, April 29.—The answer of Massachusetts to the campaign pleading, either personally or by representatives of the five candidates for the presidential nomination, La Follette, Roosevelt, Taft, Clark and Wilson, will be made at the primaries on Tuesday. Owing to the complicated ballot and the absence of group voting, it is expected no definite result will be known until the next day, and it may be a day or two later before the actual identity of the 36 delegates to the Chicago and Baltimore conventions is known. This will be the first presidential preference primary ever held in the Bay state.

As the campaign has been one of the most strenuous in years it is expected that 450,000 voters will go to the polls.

The presence of both President Taft and Col. Roosevelt in the state during the closing hours of the campaign, the fact that they selected Massachusetts for their first personal political encounter and comments from political writers outside the state, have been taken as indicating a possibility that Massachusetts may make or mar the political fortunes of the president and the only living former president.

Ballots Complicated.

In giving Massachusetts a presidential preference primary, the legislature failed to make any provision for circle voting by groups. On the Republican ballot there are three sets of delegates; in the first are eight for Roosevelt; in the second eight for Taft and in the third only one candidate, who is also pledged to Taft, La Follette, Roosevelt and Taft appear in the presidential preference column.

There are sets of Roosevelt and Taft delegates in each of the 14 congressional districts, except the first, where the Roosevelt candidates will run on stickers. Republican voters must mark eight delegates-at-large, two district delegates and one of the presidential candidates.

Two are Sure of Election.

The Democratic ticket is even more unusual. There are 15 candidates for delegates at large, ten of whom are pledged to Gov. Foss, and one to Wilson, while four are without pledges. At least three of the Democratic candidates for delegates at large who are pledged to Foss seem certain of election and it is notable that although Gov. Wilson might win the presidential preference, he could obtain but one delegate at large.

In four of the 14 congressional districts only two delegates are named and are therefore sure of election.

Voting on Tuesday will begin in Boston at 6 a. m., but in most of the cities and towns the balloting will be later in the day and in three-quarters of them the polls will not close until 9 p. m.

SHOT DOWN HIS BRUTAL FATHER

Seventeen-Year-Old Iowa Boy Confesses Committing Deed to Save His Mother.

Des Moines, Ia., April 29.—Protesting that he killed his father to save his mother and that his sister Mabel 13 years old, knew nothing of the crime, A. J. Wayman, 17 years old confessed to the sheriff here that John Wayman met death at his hands in their home near Indianola.

The self confessed slayer, according to the sheriff, said that his father had struck his mother, severely injuring her and had threatened to kill him. He said a brother of his mother gave him the automatic rifle with which the shooting was done.

"After my father, my sister and myself had eaten supper, I went out to milk the cow," said Wayman. When I had finished this I returned to the house and shot at my father through the kitchen door. He fell at the first shot and died instantly. My sister and I hitched up a team and drove to Des Moines. She had nothing to do with the killing."

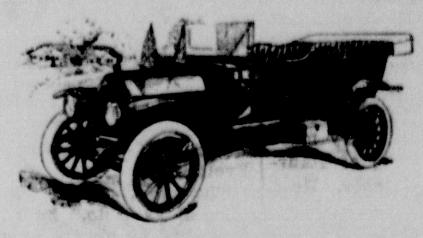
School Game Ends in Fight.

St. Louis, April 29.—The deciding baseball game for the district pennant offered by a newspaper resulted in a free for all fight between students of the Clark and Dozier schools in the exclusive West End. Richard Rawlings, a 12-year-old Clark schoolboy, was knocked unconscious with a baseball bat and several others were badly scratched and bruised.

Wed 59 Years.

Chapman, Kan., April 29.—John C. Sparks and his wife celebrated their 59th wedding anniversary here. They were married in Newcastle, Canada. Mrs. Sparks was born in England and came to America when she was 16 years old. They moved to Kansas in 1884. Mr. Sparks is 84 years old and his wife is 79. They have six children.

ENGER "40"



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Vehicle Tax

The Vehicle Tax 1912 is now due and must be paid. Owners and operators of automobiles who intend to do a livery business are by Ordinance No. 500 to pay a license. Also owners of freight and dray wagons, which must now be paid.

City Collector

SNIPS

Black Percheron Horse, with white star, weighs 1450. Horse will be 6 years old in July. His colts will show for his breeding qualities.

Will make the season of 1912 at the John Schneider farm, 3-4 of a mile northeast of Arkoe.

TERMS—$6 to insure live colt. Money due when colt stands and sucks, mare is disposed of or removed from the county. Care taken to avoid accidents, but will not be responsible should any occur. Colt must stand good for service fee.

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Yvette's Ghost

By Louise Heilger

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"Are you a ghost?" asked little Yvette.

The ghost smiled. "Now you know as well as I do," he told her, "that there are no ghosts left—the sensible people haave killed them all."

"What I can't make out," pursued Yvette, unheeding, "is how you got in here, and why no one else seems to see you—this morning, for instance, when I was sitting with my auntie in the morning room. The windows were shut, the door did not open, and yet all at once I looked up, and there you were standing smiling. And auntie got up suddenly—she said she felt a change—and left the room without seeing you?"

"Now, I ask you, do I look like a ghost?" said the handsome man in the well fitting tweed suit, as he rose from his chair and made a leisurely inspection of himself in the glass over the mantelpiece. "Do I clank? All respectable ghosts clank. Do I appear at midnight and point a spectral finger? Not a bit. My entrances are as you have justly observed, noiseless. The latest visit I have ever paid you was well within the conventional calling time. No, Yvette, I am too respectable to be a ghost."

He dropped back into his armchair. Yvette crossed the room with a pleasant little rustle of silk skirts, sat herself down on the sofa facing him, and considered him gravely.

"It's six months since you've been coming and going like this," she said reflectively. "The first time you came I remember you nearly frightened me to death. It was a winter's afternoon. I was sitting by the fire reading, and all of a sudden there you were sitting in the same chair staring at me."

"Well, you stared back at me," remarked the ghost. "You looked so pretty, too, with your flushed cheeks and the flame light dancing on your

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hair that I wonder I didn't kiss you then and there." His merry eyes danced as he noted her rising color. "Alas, that ghosts don't kiss, Yvette!" he finished whimsically.

"And when I asked you how you got in," pursued Yvette, pretending not to hear, "You told me you were a relative of the people we had just taken the house from, and had lived here so long you couldn't keep away. You said, too, you came to look for something; but you never told me what it was."

"Perhaps it was only a memory," said the ghost; and suddenly, though it was a warm afternoon, the room seemed very cold, so that Yvette shivered and was glad when a long streak of belated sunlight came gliding suddenly across the floor.

"And then you asked me not to tell any one I had seen you"—she returned bravely to the attack, though the fading day had stolen the sunshine back. "You said you knew a secret way of coming and going, and that no one but me would ever know you came."

"Well, no one does," retorted the ghost, "though I will admit I've had one or two narrow shaves. This morning, for instance, if your aunt had looked up before I slipped behind her I'd have been caught sure."

"Why, of course; how stupid of me!" cried Yvette joyfully. "That's how you arranged it, and auntie is short-sighted. Then you aren't a ghost after all. I'm so glad. Because sometimes, you know, I've been frightened about it, and wondered—"

"Foolish little Yvette," said the ghost tenderly. "Haven't I warned you not to take me seriously? No man, be he human flesh and blood and not merely dust and bones, is worth taking seriously. Smile, Yvette, and let me see how blue your eyes are when they look into mine. Love is short as life, Yvette; we must make what use of it we can."

"Have you ever loved?" asked Yvette, her white fingers pulling restlessly at the lace of her blouse.

"Heaps of times," replied the ghost promptly. "Some for a week and a day others for an hour. Once I loved till—" a frown creased his brow—"but let us talk of other things. Had I a heart left, Yvette, I would give it to you, but the worms have sucked the life from it. I'm nothing but your ghost, Yvette—"

There came a clatter of high-heeled shoes. The door flew open suddenly, and the noise of a gay voice tumbled into the rom.

"Dreaming in the dark, as usual," it called, while its owner stood hovering at the threshold. "Shall I come in and disturb you?"

"No," said Yvette," scrambling hurriedly to her feet, almost stumbling in her eagerness. "I was just coming down."

She passed her arm beneath that of the intruder, but her heart was fluttering still as they descended the stairs. Supposing he had been discovered? She needn't have troubled. Had she glanced back into the room as she came out she would have seen that anybody entering would have found nothing but the twilight and emptiness.

Some few days afterward Yvette, chancing to be in need of some quaint garments to help in the dressing of some quaint characters she was getting up, persuaded the old housekeeper to let her rummage in an old attic at the top of the house, where all such treasure trove was to be found. Yvette was repaid by the rare spoils brought to light. Yvette's laughter and chatter filled the somber room and deadened the sound of the rain outside. But presently the laughter stopped, and only the rain beat loudly on the sill."

"Who—who is that?" asked Yvette, white lipped as she held out a dusty photograph to the staring housekeeper, the photograph of a tall young man in tweed, with an exceedingly merry smile.

"Why, bless me," said the housekeeper, "if it isn't the picture of the young squire—him who owned Fox Craft manor. He was killed out hunting—a terrible stir it caused in the countryside, I remember."

"How long ago was this?" asked Yvette dully.

"Let me see," said the housekeeper, pondering; "a matter of 20 years or more, I should say. I was 'tweeny' maid in those days in this very house. Many and many a time have I seen him come riding up to this door. He was engaged to our young lady—a fine young lady she was, too—he was fair set on her. It seemed as if he was fair keep away from the house. She took on terrible when he died."

"Is she dead, too, then?" queried Yvette, still in that pale, small voice.

"She married a London gentleman afterward," said the housekeeper, "and had seven children. But I have heard she wasn't happy. She's been dead these four years or more," she added.

"Why did you think it necessary to lie to me?" asked Yvette very coldly of the ghost that evening.

The ghost, who was lounging comfortably in his favorite arm chair, suddenly sat upright. His dark eyes lingered long on her white face.

"So, little Yvette, you've found me out at last," he said quickly. "Well, I had meant to ring down the curtain myself on the little comedy long before this; but I was a coward. Yvette, afraid to face the dark, for I shall be very lonely, little Yvette, out there, all alone in the cold and the never ending night."

"But it wasn't me you came to see," said Yvette, standing before him, slim and drooping, in her white apron; it was that other girl—the one you were engaged to."

The ghose rose suddenly and came and stood beside her.

"I came to see you always after the first time," he said softly. "This first time I admit it was to revisit the spot where I had spent my happiest days, but afterward— Ah, Yvette, no one has eyes so blue as you. They make it hard for me to say goodby."

"But why should it be goodby?" cried Yvette, sharply, and moved toward him with extended arms. "Ghost or no ghost, I love you!" She strove to clasp him, but gently he eluded her.

"No one may love the dead," he told her gently. "The dead are beyond love, they are beyong life. My little Yvette, it must be goodby."

"Then if that is so," cried Yvette, weeping, "ah, kiss me once before you go! Only to feel your arms around me, only to feel your lips on mine, will comfort me in all the empty years."

She stopped. A strangled cry broke from her, a great gulf of cold air seemed suddenly to envelop her. She was frozen, frozen to the bone; then a merciful darkness came upon her, and she fell forward on her face.

In after years Yvette married, and was happy in her choice, but she never loved her husband as she had loved the ghost.—The Sketch.

Snowstorm in London.

There is always a touch of incongruity about snow in London. Gilbert White, who visited London on January 22, 1776, in a snowstorm, was surprised at the changed aspect of the city. He journeyed "through a sort of Laplandian scene, very wild and grotesque indeed. But the metropolis itself exhibited a still more singular appearance than the country; for, being bedded deep in snow, the pavement of the streets could not be touched by the wheels or the horses' feet, so that the carriage ran about without the least noise. Such an exemption from din and clatter was strange, but not pleasant; it seemed to convey an uncomfortable idea of desolation; ipsa silentia terrent.'—London Chronicle.

Nothing Insurmountable.

Nothing is impossible; there are ways which lead to everything; and if we had sufficient will we should always have sufficient means.—La Rouchefoucauld.

AVOID THE MAN THAT SNEERS

Whole Existence Spoiled for Unfortunate Wife Tied to Such an Individual.

How would you like to be tied for life to a snake whose fangs slowly poisoned your blood, though it is not avowedly dangerous?

Silly question, say you?

Cleopatra with her asp—which they say is only a myth these days—is no surer of extinction than is the wholesome woman who marries a man who sneers.

So often this sneer is hidden under polished exterior. The girl does not at first realize the sting. She calls her lover critical or particular, or perhaps thinks his cynicism a sign of breeding or great intellectuality.

She begins by heeding that sneer, first in trifles such as behavior or dress; later it gets in its deadly poison on ideals and principles.

It takes a brave woman and an exceptionally strong-minded one to stand out against the cynicism of the man she loves. Unconsciously she is influenced. Before she realizes the deadly influence her whole view of life is changed. A girl of sweet nature but not too much brilliancy, married to a sneerer, becomes nothing more than a faint record of his warped vision. She may start out trusting, unsuspicious, loving, but life with the sneerer leads her to wonder if there is such a thing as honor and truth and goodness in this bad world.—Exchange.

ONCE THE HOME OF AUDUBON

Beautiful Mansion Where Great Naturalist Died Is Now a New York Tenement.

In a dismal hollow, at the foot of One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, New York, overlooking the Hudson, is a great square house that looks as if it ought to be haunted—and perhaps it is. It was once magnificent. Its lawns were perfect and its fountains played in the sunlight. On every side of it were other handsome homes, and all the owners were friends of long standing. Now the granite wall of Riverside drive almost cuts into the roof of this fine old mansion. Italian laborers live in it and unkempt babies sprawl upon its porches. A giant apartment house towers over it and only the rays of the western sun ever reach its windows.

It is the old home of John James Audubon, the American naturalist, which he purchased in 1842 and lived in for some years with his sons Victor and John and their families. He died there in 1851 and was buried in Trinity cemetery, near the woods that formed part of his estate and which were later called Audubon park. For five or six years Aubudon park has been but a memory, only a few dilapidated homes remaining in a hollow hemmed in by modern "bureaus where people live in the drawers."

Satan's Pupil.

The wildcat of the north woods, red lynx, bay lynx, bobcat, or however we may elect to call him, has been described as a bundle of live wires actuated by the spirit of Satan. Running up to over 40 pounds in weight, he is as big as his finer-furred cousin, the tufted-eared Canada lynx, far handsomer and much more savage. I have seen them fight dogs desperately, and a full-grown wildcat will play havoc with a flock of sheep. But no cat has ever been known to attack man except in the effort to get away when cornered. Some time ago I found a man in Maine willing to swear before a notary that a bobcat had attacked him without provocation, but I concluded to abide by the advice of Manly Hardy, gone from us now, who wrote me that a man who would swear to anything of the kind was a born liar anyhow.—Edward Breck, in Outing.

Handy Book Marker.

Nothing hurts a book more, especially a new book, than laying it down open to keep the place. Instead of doing that, if you are liable to interruption in your reading get a stout rubber band and cover it with ribbon, gathered full enough to permit the band's stretching. Then when you need to lay it down it takes hardly a second to stretch the band and slip beneath it the pages read. Upon taking it up again you find your place automatically, moreover, the book mark cannot get lost. Take care to have the band strong enough to hold and big enough not to mar the end of the cover.

Sir Walter's Good Fortune.

Sir Walter Raleigh had called to take a cup of tea with Queen Elizabeth.

"It was very good of you, Sir Walter," said her majesty, smiling sweetly upon the gallant knight, "to ruin your cloak the other day so that my feet should not be wet by that horrid puddle. May I not instruct my lord high treasurer to reimburse you for it?"

"Don't mention it, your majesty," replied Raleigh. "It only cost two and six and I have already sold it to an American collector for £8,000."—Lippincott's.

Not in the Market.

"Did you hear of the recent cut in iron?"

"No! Is it a fact?"

"Yes. A lot of prisoners sawed through their cell bars."

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LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL BOY SET A MARK FOR OTHERS TO FOLLOW.

ST. JOE TOOK RECORD CUP

The Trophy Cup Went to Chillicothe, Second Trophy Cup to Platte City and Relay Cup to St. Joseph.

Total Score by Schools.

	Points
St. Joseph	51½
Chillicothe	29½
Platte City	27½
Savannah	25
Maryville	13
Albany	11½
Ridgeway	4
Braymer	1
Trenton	1
Westboro	1
Stanberry	0
Grant City	0
Princeton	0
Bethany	0

Old Unequaled Records.

120-yard hurdles, 18 1-5 seconds; H. Buckingham, H. Goetze, St. Joseph.

Pole vault, 10 feet 1 inch; E. Jones, Chillicothe.

100-yard dash, 10 3-5 seconds; U. Kewley, St. Joseph.

440-yard dash, 55 3-5 seconds, M. Jones, Chillicothe.

Shot put, 39 feet 7½ inches; E. Miller, Savannah.

Half-mile run, 2 minutes 14 seconds; U. Kewley, St. Joseph.

220-yard dash, 25 seconds; M. Irwin St. Joseph; E. Miller, Platte City.

Relay race, St. Joseph, 1 minute 42 1-5 seconds.

New Records.

Standing broad jump, 9 feet 10 inches; H. Hayden, Chillicothe.

First record—Mile run, time 4 minutes 59 seconds; E. Lange, St. Joseph. Old record, 5 minues 2 seconds; U. Kewley, St. Joseph; R. Gregory, Albany.

High jump, 5 feet 2¾ inches; H. Hayden, Chillicothe. Old record, 5 feet 2½ inches; E. Jones, Chillicothe; J. Sherwood, J. Minton, St. Joseph Central; S. Hill, Trenton; F. Baker, Platte City.

Hop, step and jump, 40 feet 11 inches; H. Hayden, Chillicothe.

First record—220 hurdles, 28½ seconds; E. Miller, Platte City. Old record, 29 2-5 seconds; W. Siemens, St. Joseph.

Running broad jump, 19 feet, 5 inches; O. Quinn, Maryville. Old record, 19 feet 4½ inches; E. Shiflett, Chillicothe.

Discus throw, 108 feet 11 inches; A. Burkhart, Albany. Old record, 102 feet, 5 inches; E. Jones, Chillicothe.

Coach Frank Cassidy and his St. Joseph Central high school track team took the lead from the very first in the third annual track and field meet held Saturday at the Northwest Normal athletic park, and carried off first honors with a total of 51½ points. Their closest rival was Chillicothe, with 26½ points. Platte City was third, with 27½. Owing to the rule of the association which excludes all competition for the trophy cups by schools with more than 300 enrollment St. Joseph did not receive the first trophy cup, but they were presented a record cup which goes to the school scoring the largest number of points, regardless of their enrollment. They also won the relay cup. Chillicothe, with the next largest score, won the first trophy cup, and Platte City the second trophy cup. Hayden of Chillicothe scored the largest number of points, 29 being his total. E. Miller of Platte City was second with 20. The prettiest race of the meet was put up by Lange of St. Joseph on the mile run. The little Central man led from the crack of the pistol and finished 75 yards ahead of his nearest opponent. His time was 5.59, which is 3 seconds better than the former record.

Too much credit cannot be given to V. I. Moore, manager and clerk of the course, for the excellent manner in which he managed the meet. Everything started at the time designated, and the events were carried out with almost no delay whatever. Taken as a whole, the third annual meet was the most successful yet held, and that's saying a whole lot, too.

This Year's Results.

120-yard hurdles—First, J. Minton, St. Joseph; second, R. Rice, St. Joseph; third, H. Staples, Maryville; fourth, W. Gee, Savannah. Time, 19 3-5 seconds.

Pole vault—First H. Hayden; second, O. Gamble, Savannah; third, W. Skillman, Platte City; fourth, F. Dray, Savannah. Height, 9 feet 9 inches.

100-yard dash—First, E. Miller, Platte City; second, B. Neidorp, St. Joseph; third, O. Gamble, Savannah; fourth, M. Hendrickson. Time, 11 seconds.

Standing broad jump—First, H. Hayden, Chillicothe; second, J. Minton, St. Joseph; third, O. Gamble, Savannah; fourth, E. Miller, Platte City. Distance, 9 feet 10 inches.

Mile run—First, E. Lange, St. Joseph; second, B. Kline, Savannah; third, J. Stanley, Ridgeway; fourth, C. Barrett, Westboro. Time, 4 minutes 59 seconds.

High jump—First, H. Hayden, Chillicothe; second, J. Minton, F. Baker, Platte City; fourth, L. Waddel, C. Miller, Albany. Height, 5 feet 2 ¾ inches.

440-yard dash—First, E. Miller, Platte City; second, B. Neidorp, St. Joseph; third, R. Dixon, Savannah; fourth, A. Burkart, Albany. Time, 56 seconds.

Hop, step and jump—First, H. Hayden, Chillicothe; second C. Hammack, Ridgeway; third, J. Minton, St. Joseph; fourth, F. Baker, Platte City. Distance, 40 feet 11 inches.

Shot put—First, A. Burkhart, Albany; second, H. Hayden, Chillicothe; third, S. Borden, St. Joseph; fourth, W. Gilmore, Braymer. Distance, 37 feet 10 inches.

Half-mile run—First, E. Lange, St. Joseph; second, R. Dixon, Savannah; third, H. Johnson, St. Joseph; fourth, R. Crane, Trenton. Time, 2 minutes 16 seconds.

220 hurdles—First, E. Miller, Platte City; second, H. Staples, Maryville; third, S. Shetler, St. Joseph; fourth, D. Lillibridge, Savannah. Time, 28½ seconds.

Running broad jump—First, O. Quinn, Maryville; second, H. Hayden, Chillicothe; third, J. Minton, St. Joseph; fourth, S. Shetler, St. Joseph. Distance, 19 feet 5 inches.

Discus throw—First, A. Burkhart, Albany; second, H. Hayden, Chillicothe; third, R. Dixon, Savannah; fourth, E. Miller, Platte City. Distance, 108 feet 11 inches.

220-yard dash—First, B. Neidorp, St. Joseph; second, E. Miller, Platte City; third, O. Gamble, Savannah; fourth, H. Staples, Maryville. Time 25 1-5 seconds.

Relay race—First, St. Joseph; second, Savannah; third, Maryville; fourth, Ridgeway. Time, 1 minute 43 seconds.

Notes of the Meet.

Burkhart, the Albany chap who won first in the shot put and discus throw, was protested before the opening of the meet Saturday afternoon. It was questioned as to whether he was within the age limit. The matter will be investigated, and in case Burkhart is ruled out it will cause a change in the score but will not affect the awarding of the cups.

In case Burkhart isn't ruled out it is likely that his discus throw of 108 feet 11 inches, which beat the previous record by 5 feet 8 inches, will hold for some time to come.

The two new events of the meet, the standing broad jump and the running hop, step and jump, seemed to be right in Hayden's line. The big Chillicothe start placed first in both events, his distance for the broad jump being 9 feet 10 inches, and he hopped, stepped and jumped 40 feet 11 inches. Both distances are mighty good for the high school class.

The strong wind handicapped the pole vaulters a great deal. It is probable that record would have been smashed but for the breeze.

E. Jones, Chillicothe's star of former years, was a visitor at the day's proceedings. Jones holds the association record for the pole vault, and held the discus record until Mr. Burkhart's mighty heave of Saturday.

Orlo Quinn, the local athlete who smashed the association record for the running broad jump Saturday, also has the distinction of being the first

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THE BARBARIAN AGE

DR. HALL'S TALK AT NORMAL ON BOYS OF 10 TO 14.

BOY NEEDS THE COUNTRY

Would Have Him Get Close to Nature —Two Lectures at Normal in the Afternoon.

Dr. Winfield Hall, dean of the medical department of Northwestern university of Evanston, Ill., was greeted by a large audience of students and townspeople at the Normal auditorium this morning at the chapel hour. Dr. Hall's talk was along the line of the teachers' and parents' attitude toward the boy of the "barbarian stage," as the speaker termed the youth from 10 to 14 years of age. "Don't grow impatient with the boy of the 'barbarian stage' if he displays that crude, uncouth, barbarian nature. He will get over it in due time. The high school boy in a foot ball match, fighting for glory and for the pleasure of his ardent admirer, who watches his every move from the grand stand, is very closely related to the knight of ancient chivalry, who fought in the tournaments to win the favor of his lady. Get the boy close to nature. The boy needs the country as well as the country needs the boy. When the boy is in harmony with nature he is in harmony with nature's God."

Dr. Hall called the attention of his audience to the fact that since the Normal is located on a hill the students should get a distant view, "and the distant view for you is a strong factor in your education," added the speaker.

Immediately after the address to the general assembly, Dr. Hall gave an invaluable talk to the men.

At 2:30 this afternoon Dr. Hall addresses the young ladies.

At 3:10 the school was addressed by Dr. H. E. Tralle of Mexico, Mo., Mr. Tralle occupies the chair of religious pedagogy at Hardin college. Hardin is the only college in the state with this department of religious work.

Although Monday was more a day of lectures than of recitation at the Normal, the talks, beside being of vital interest and importance, came very opportunely to a large number of students who have been celebrating the past week to such an extent that their Monday lessons were not in the best shape imaginable.

DEATH AT CLYDE.

Jacob Garsche Died at the Age of 85 at the Home of His Son, Northwest of Clyde.

Jacob Garsche, a native of Hungary, died Monday morning about 7 o'clock of the infirmities of old age, at the home of his son, Frank Garsche, living one and a half miles northwest of Clyde.

The funeral services have not been arranged for, as word is being awaited from children from a distance. He is survived by his wife and the following children: Frank Garsche of Clyde, Mrs. J. J. Metcalf, Mrs. Louis Shady and Miss Katie Garsche of St. Joseph, Mrs. Baumgardner of Chicago, Jacob Garsche, Jr., living in Montana, and Will and John Garsche, living in Canada.

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353 BOYS IN NOW

ENROLLMENT IN CORN CONTEST CONTINUES TO GROW.

1000 EXPECTED TO ENTER

Maryville and Hopkins Lead in Number of Entries—Edna C. Tucker of Ravenwood a Contestant.

County Superintendent W. M. Oakerson gave out Monday the second list of boys in Nodaway county enrolled for the county corn growing contest to be held in the city next fall. There are 353 boys enrolled for this contest to date. Many more are expected, and Prof. Oakerson hopes that there will be 1,000.

The following are the boys enrolled for the contest since the first list of names was printed several weeks ago:

Elmo—Galen Kinman.

Guilford—Hamon Greggs.

Wilcox—Orville Vert.

Conception—Thomas Boschert, Andrew Urie, Joseph C. Donald.

Quitman—Jesse Logan, Atlee Logan, Horace W. Reed.

Sheridan—Leslie Dukes, George Dukes.

Clyde—Henry C. Hanson, Delbert A. Ambrose, John Henggler, Thomas Archer.

Parnell—Charlie Wilson, Martin B. Farrell, Elias Echterling, Thomas E. Farrell, Clifford Jennings.

Burlington Junction—Jake Vulgamott, Fred Miller, Lloyd Brown, Everett Fast, Willie Walker.

Graham—Russell Burris, C. H. Talbott, Robert Burns, Harry Suetterlin, Doyle Wright, John Ripley.

Ravenwood—Edna C. Tucker, Ray Hardy, Everett M. Tucker, Leo McKee, Leo Graham, Ernest Graham.

Barnard — Brunson Job, Loris O'Howell, Rex Halney, Leslie C. Goforth, Willie VanFossan, Leslie McMacken, Fred L. Tompkins, Aubrey Parrish, Charles Hartman, Holten Fannon, Albert Fannon, Charlie Rasco, Joseph Dobbins, Emmett Fannon, Cleo Shinabargar, LeRoy Shinabargar.

Clearmont—Leo Owens, William Zwilling, Harry Holmes, Mearl Simpson, Aaron Kellogg, Chester H. Bancroft, E. Clarke Bancroft, Floyd Coulter, Orval Coulter.

Pickering—Champ C. Rice, Harold McClurg, Forest Hinton, Milton J. Hull, Emery R. Lee, Arthur Weaver, Marvin S. Carmichael, Earl McClurg.

Skidmore—Burnice McNeal, Jonathan Cryder, Frank Lehman, Dean H. Coslee, Ernest Wampler, Charlie H. Rockwell, Ralph Peter, Earl Hall, Horlis Hays, Ivan Argo, Virgil Argo, Ralph Henderson, Glen Dee Ulmer.

Hopkins—Charles Massie, Ralph Anderson, Carl Anderson, Albert Glines, Harry Glines, Floyd Pope, Earl Pope, Ernest Snodgrass, Farrell Malone, Hobart Proctor, Henry Morehouse, Ernest Mosley, John Young, Rolla Fleming, Kenton Thompkins, Earl Snodgrass, Russell Train, Hobart Collins, Murl Hopple, Ralph Ratekin, Roy Ringgold, Billie Ingalls, Carl Prather, Guy Wray, Carl Coleman, Ralph G. Tatman, Farrell Malone, Fay Balck, John L. Nicholson, Harley Morehouse, Andy Morehouse, Don Albright, Frank Davis, Harold Livasy, Floyd Morehouse, Ross Wells, Dewey Morehouse, George Trueblood, Harvey Davison.

Maryville—Robert C. Powell, Carl Dempsey, Harvey Dempsey, Harvey Watson, Myron Baker, Cecil Grooms, W. T. Garrett, Ira Carr, Harry M. Charles, Denny Sherlock, Thomas Kane, Frankie Kane, Jefferson Monroe, Paul Fisher, Peter Paul Smith, Cleo B. Trusty, Leslie Lanning, Gene Aley, Lester Pierpoint, J. Parr, Roy Strauch, George Neff, Clyde Sawyers, Walter Wilson, Arthur Jackson Wilson, Clarence Rice, Lynn Garrison, Lawrence Schafer, Edgar McClurg, Fred Gray, Jack O'Connell, Ralph E. Wray, George A. Greeson, Ralph E. Palmer, Everett L. Renshaw, Malcolm Wells, Charlie Wells, Harold Erickson, Donald Hall, Frances R. Halasey, Cecil E. Lawson, James C. Halasey, Eugene Hall, John Brennan, Lester Masters, Ora Carr, Virgil Gray, Dale Thompson, Ralph Aley, Henderson Aley, Harry Burr, Guy D. Aley.

FUNERAL TO BE HELD TUESDAY.

Of Mrs. I. B. Young at the Christian Church in Quitman, Conducted by Rev. S. D. Harlan.

Funeral services for Mrs. I. B. Young, who died on Friday, will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Christian church in Quitman, the services to be conducted by Rev. S. D. Harlan of Maitland.

Mrs. Young was born on March 25, 1851, near Dover, Fayette county, Mo. She was married to Isaac B. Young, September 14, 1871, and to them four children were born, one dying in infancy. The other children surviving are Samuel Curtis Young of Idaho; Logan Douglas and Russell Byron Young of Quitman.

The Youngs located in Nodaway county immediately after their marriage. In 1898 they left the farm and moved to Quitman. Mr. Young died there August 3, 1910, his death being caused from a fall from a load of lumber.

The cause of Mrs. Young's death was bronchial pneumonia, she having contracted a severe cold only a few days ago, while in the country at the home of her son, who is foreman on the R. J. Bilby ranch. Quitman has lost one of her best citizens. Mrs. Young was a member of the Christian church, having joined that church while quite young.

SACRED BAND CONCERT.

Was Very Much Enjoyed by a Large Crowd at the Christian Church Sunday Afternoon.

The sacred band concert given by the Maryville band, Prof. L. V. Lawler, director, at the Christian church, Sunday afternoon, was attended by a very large crowd, standing room being at a premium. The concert was given as a memorial to the hero musicians on the Titanic who went down with the ship. It was enjoyed very much by those in attendance.

Rev. C. J. Miller, pastor of the church, gave a short memorial address. A sacred duet was given by Mrs. F. P. Robinson and H. J. Becker, a cornet solo by Ed Schumacher and a trombone solo by Lloyd Miles.

The Titanic Band.

All glory and honor and praise for that band
Of heroic musicians that so nobly did stand
In a body together on that sinking vessel,
Expecting each moment with the wild waves to wrestle,
Making sweet music and quelling the panic
That seemed inevitable on the unfortunate Titanic.
Help us, dear Father, a lesson to find
In the lives of those people so good and so kind,
As to risk certain death in the northern Atlantic,
And still do their duty on board the Titanic,
So that of us all the world can say
That we were as brave and noble as they
That went to their water grave in the sea,
Playing the sweet strains of "Nearer, My God, to Thee."

E. L. D.

Guests at Raines Home.

Mrs. L. Z. Emmert of Tarkio and Miss Edith Raines of St. Joseph were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Raines Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Emmert is a sister-in-law of Mrs. Raines. Miss Raines, who is a sister of Mr. Raines, came Friday night to join the St. Joseph high school students who were here for the track meet.

Miss Myrtle Sheldon, who has been singing in evangelistic meetings at Weston for several weeks, returned home Monday. She will assist the evangelist in meetings being held at the M. E. church, South, of this city after Tuesday.

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LET'S HAVE PEACE

PETITION IS FILED

WILLIAM A. HELLER ASKS COURT FOR SALOON LICENSE.

WILL COME UP MONDAY

Twenty-Two Signers to Petition, Who Are All Said to Be Qualified—at Lippman's Old Stand.

Maryville may have another saloon soon, as an application for a dramshop license was filed last week with County Clerk George Demott by William A. Heller, who wants a license to run a saloon in the Lippman building, where the Oak saloon was formerly.

Mr. Heller has twenty-two signers to his petition, and states in his application that the applicant is not disqualified under any law to receive license to keep a dramshop, and that he is not the agent or representative of or partner with any person so disqualified; and that the owner of the dramshop for which application is made is W. A. Heller.

The county court, which will meet next Monday, will take up the application. It is thought that the license will be issued, as there seems to be no grounds for a fight against Heller.

It is understood that the "dry" people are making no effort whatever as they think that Heller has enough signers and is qualified to receive the license.

Maryville has been running with one saloon for nearly three months. The county court, at the February term, refused to grant a license to the Oak saloon, Adolph Lippman, proprietor, at that time, as he did not have enough signers to his petition. Many seem to think that since we have one saloon it is just as well to have two, and no more.

TO GENERAL CONFERENCE.

Rev. W. B. Christy Left for Minneapolis Monday for Month's Absence.

Superintendent W. B. Christy of the Maryville M. E. conference district, left Monday noon for Minneapolis, Minn., to attend the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, which convenes in that city all during the month of May. This conference takes in the world's work of this church and meets but once in four years.

There are three ministerial delegates from Missouri, Dr. W. B. Christy of Maryville, Rev. J. W. Anderson of Kahoka and Superintendent W. F. Burris of the Cameron district.

The lay delegates from Missouri are Mr. Homer Hall of Trenton, Mr. John L. Beagler of Bethany and Mr. S. H. Prather of Tarkio.

RAIN HALTED WORK.

Workmen Unable to Do Anything on Excavating at Postoffice Site.

Work was halted on the excavating of the postoffice site Monday on account of the rain of Sunday night. It is expected that the excavating will be finished this week, and then the foundation work will start. Many cars of material have been ordered and will arrive soon, a car of sand and stone already being here.

F. D. Krenz, who started the work on the building, will leave tonight for LaPorte, Ind., where the Lovell company of Minneapolis, Minn., has a contract for a government building. J. R. Edwards of Rome, Ga., is to be in charge of the work here for the construction company and Mr. Gobel for the government.

Is Nurse in Hospital.

Miss Alice Ford of Guthrie, Okla., arrived in Maryville Sunday night on a visit to her parents, Rev. Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Ford. Miss Ford has been taking training in nursing in a Methodist hospital at Guthrie for nearly two years.

Walter Mendenhall, editor of the Burlington Junction Post, and D. C. Simmons, editor of the Sheridan Advance, were in Maryville Saturday.

THE WEATHER

Generally fair tonight and Tuesday; rising temperature Tuesday.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For County Treasurer.

I wish to announce that I will be a candidate for county treasurer on the Democratic ticket, subject to the primary election in August.

SAMUEL H. WILLIAMS.

This paper is authorized to announce that E. F. Wolfert of Maryville will be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for county treasurer, subject to the decision of the primary in August.

We are authorized to announce Jesse B. Joy of Elmo as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Treasurer, subject to the August primary.

For Sheriff.

We are authorized to announce that Ed Wallace of Atchison township will be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for sheriff of Nodaway county, subject to the decision of the primary in August.

We are authorized to announce Luke P. Colvin as a candidate for sheriff, subject to the decision of the Democratic voters at the August primary.

TO GIVE COMEDY DRAMA.

The Owls to Put on Show at Empire Thursday Night for Benefit of Carl Wright.

The Owls' benefit play for Carl Wright will be given Thursday night, May 2, and promises to be a good home talent performance. The play that will be given will be "Higbee of Harvard," and the cast consists of H. J. Becker, Lester Bennett, W. G. Price, W. A. Robertson, Glenn Goff, Misses Alma Nash, Besse Scott, Helen Paul and Mary O'Brien.

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Organized a Music Class.

Miss Eva Davis went to Ravenwood Monday to begin her work there in music formerly held by Miss Eva Spickerman. She will visit Ravenwood every Monday and Thursday. Miss Davis is a graduate and postgraduate of the Maryville Conservatory. She also has a class of music at Bolckow, where she goes each Wednesday.

Will Move to Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Smith of Barnard, who have been in Maryville several weeks on account of Mrs. Smith's illness at St. Francis hospital, returned to Barnard Monday morning. They will leave in a few days for Greeley, Col., where they may conclude to locate. They will live in Colorado in future, where Mr. Smith will invest in land.

Guests of Van Steenbergh's.

Mrs. E. C. Wolfers, Jr., and son, Mr. Maurice Wolfers, of Hopkins; Mr. Tom Montgomery of Bolckow and Misses Bessie and Blanche Ruddle of Tarkio were track meet guests on Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Van-Steenbergh and Mr. and Mrs. G. A. VanSteenbergh.

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Visited Student Sons.

Attorney T. A. Cummins and Mr. John Murrin spent Sunday in Atchison, Kan., at Mt. St. Scholastic seminary, with their sons, Andy Chris Cummins and John Owen Murrin who are students of that school.

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Miss Helwig's Guests.

Miss Elizabeth Brainard, county superintendent of schools of Grundy county, and Miss Ida Lilly, teacher of history in the Trenton high schools, were track meet guests of Miss Katharine Helwig.

Albert Felix of Clyde visited in Maryville Sunday with the family of her brother, Aaron Felix.

PENNANTS All kinds at Crane's

QUINN MADE RECORD

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Maryville contestant to place first in any event in the meets held here thus far. Quinn also broke the running broad jump record at the tri-state meet at Tarkio last year.

Harold Staples, captain of the Maryville high school track team, who placed second in the 220 hurdles, third in the 120 hurdles, and fourth in the 220-yard dash, is only a sophomore in the high school, and he will doubtless be heard from in the meets in the future.

When it comes to rooting you'll have to hand it to the St. Joseph crowd. They accompanied their team, 100 of them, and the encouragement that they gave their heroes would have inspired any team to "do things."

The Platte City delegation ran St. Joseph hard for the rooting honors. One spectator ventured to assert that the Platte City rooters were all direct descendants of auctioneers, judging from their lung capacity.

The local high school scored the same number of points as they did last year, but they landed in fifth place, while last year they finished sixth.

There were twelve relay teams entered in the relay race, but only four of them competed.

The crowd that thronged the grand stand and bleachers and overflowed out onto the campus at either end of the grandstand might be estimated at 2,500.

The Maryville Concert band furnished the music throughout the afternoon, and the musicians were repeatedly cheered by the throng.

The field was alive with amateur photographers, and very shortly after the meet every other small chap greeted you with "Pictures of the track meet, mister?"

As soon after the meet as the official scorer could figure up the standing of the teams the medals and cups were presented from the band stand. President H. K. Taylor presented the medals to the lucky contestants, and each presentation was accompanied by cheers and congratulations. Hon. W. A. Blagg, president of the board of regents, presented the cups to the representatives of the winning schools.

Although there were two more events than last year and eleven more contestants, the meet closed almost two hours earlier than last year. This may partly be attributed to the fact that the events began on time, but principally because those in charge were onto their job as to how to handle affairs. The manner in which V. I. Moore, clerk of the course, and L. M. Eck, head field judge, kept the events going, was a joy to behold. If you think managing a meet isn't a man's job just try it once.

The gate receipts Saturday were about the same as they were last year, although some thought that the crowd was not as large as in 1901.

No one but officials and contestants were allowed on the field Saturday, but there were still too many people there for the good of the contestants and the spectators in the grandstand.

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Today's Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—25,000. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 4,000.

Hogs—55,000. Market 5c lower; top, $8.00. Estimate tomorrow 17,000.

Sheep—18,000. Market 25c higher.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—6,000. Market steady.

Hogs—7,000. Market 5c lower; top, $8.00.

Sheep—11,000. Market strong.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—5,000. Market steady.

Hogs—7,600. Market slow; top, $8.00.

Sheep—4,500. Market 25c higher.

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Car of Automobiles.

Mason & Wilderman, auto agents, received a car of R. H. C. automobiles, they being agents for this machine.

Spent Sunday in St. Joseph.

W. A. Miller, Frank Reavis and J. E. McIntire of the Bee Hive shoe store spent Sunday in St. Joseph with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Armstrong of Clarinda, Ia., visited over Sunday in Maryville with Mrs. Armstrong's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Armstrong of East First street.

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Mr. and Mrs. Russell Thompson and children returned to their home near Hopkins Monday from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Egley, north of the city.

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News of Society and Womens' Clubs

House Party Guests.

Miss Lillian Strop and Mr. Phillip Strop of St. Joseph and Messrs. Robert and Russell Burris of Graham were house party guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Holmes, on Grand avenue, during the oratorical contest and track meet.

Sunday Dinner Guests.

Mr. Ova Goff and Mr. Clark Goff of Barnard were dinner guests on Sunday of Mr. Harold Staples. Clark Goff came to Maryville Friday night to attend the oratorical contest and track meet as the guest of his brother, a member of the 1912 graduating class of the high school.

Chafing Dish Supper.

Miss Allie Fraser entertained with a chafing dish supper Sunday evening, complimentary to her guest, Miss Helen Ardery of St. Joseph. Those present were Miss Ardery, Miss Grace Sturm and her cousin guest, Miss Gertrude Sturm of Conception; Mr. Homer Shipps, Mr. Magnus Tate, Mr. Fred Lewis and Mr. Elmore Frank.

House Party Guests.

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Brown entertained with a house party during the oratorical contest and track meet. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. H. McMaster and Mrs. McMaster's sister, Miss Lulu Corbin, principal of the high school at Hopkins, Robert Wolfers of Hopkins, Warner Woods and Miss Elta Woods of Bolckow and Frederick Neudorf, Jr., of St. Joseph.

Guests at Sunday Dinner.

Miss Grace Sturm, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Sturm was hostess at a dinner Sunday given for Miss Margaret Johnson and Miss Helen Ardery of St. Joseph, who are visiting in the city. Covers were laid for Miss Johnson, Miss Ardery, Miss Allie Fraser, Miss Cecil Benight, Miss Neva Airy, and Miss Gertrude Sturm and Mr. Otto Sturm of Clyde, cousins of the hostess.

Slumber Party and Breakfast.

Miss Helen Ford and Miss Cecil Benight gave a slumber party Saturday night, at Mis Ford's home to Miss Marie Brink's guest, Miss Margaret Johnson of St. Joseph. The company, aside from the hostesses and honor guest, included Miss Marie Brink, Miss Maud Bainum, Miss Elise Jackson, Miss Brownie Toel and Miss Grace Sturm. They attended the picture show early in the evening and later went to the Elks club, where an informal dance was given for them by Mr. Fred Bellows, Mr. Frank Schumacher, Mr. F. R. Marcel and Mr. Foster Thompson. The slumber party awakened at a seasonable hour Sunday morning, in time for a dainty breakfast served by Mrs. J. A. Ford, and attended church services at the First Presbyterian church.

Postponed Her Trip.

Scribner Beech, Jr., has received word from his sister, Mrs. Curtis Alexander of san Luis Potosi, Mexico, in which she says that the threatened danger for Americans has died down some and she will postpone her trip home to Maryville for an indefinite time unless hostilities should begin again soon.

Misses Edith Porter and Lucy Barrett returned to their home at Skidmore Monday morning, after a visit during track meet with Miss Bessie Porter, a State Normal student, who is making her home with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Welborn.

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Mrs. R. H. Perry, who has been spending the past winter with her daughter, Mrs. Nicholas Sowder, at Higginsville, Mo., returned to Maryville Monday.

Miss Austie Cowan returned to her home near Hopkins Monday from a visit in Maryville with friends since the contest and track meet.

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Miss Edna King of Parnell returned home Monday, having been in the city since Friday for the contest and track meet.

To parties having Campbell furnaces in their houses in this city needing attention of any kind we recommend Mr. Wm. Armstrong of the Armstrong foundry, who is familiar with the construction of our furnaces and will give you satisfaction.

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PICTURE FRAMING at Crane's

LYONS WINS CASE.

Was Decided by K. C. Court of Appeals and Was Reversed and Remanded With Directions.

Attorney J. C. Growney received a telegram today from the clerk of the Kansas City court of appeals stating that the case of the state ex rel Lyons against the Bank of Conception was reversed and remanded with directions. This was a suit by mandamus by which Frank Lyons sought to compel the Bank of Conception to restore to him the rights, privileges and benefits of a stockholder in said bank.

The judgment of the Nodaway county circuit court was rendered in favor of the bank and against Lyons. From this judgment Lyons appealed to the Kansas City court of appeals, with the result as above stated. Mr. Growney was the attorney for Lyons in the appellate court.

DR. TRALLE SPOKE

To a Good Audience, Notwithstanding the Rainy Day.

Dr. H. E. Tralle spoke to a good audience of Sunday school workers at the Baptist church Sunday afternoon, after the band concert.

Dr. Tralle holds that a Sunday school should be a real school, and that its teachers should be trained teachers—those who are from classes in pedagogy and psychology and have been taught proper training methods. He believes that the classes in Sunday school should be graded and a course of study marked out suitable to the grasp of the students.

He convinced all who heard him of the colossal importance of the work, and inspired every one with a desire for better and more thorough study.

SUNDAY SCHOOL TO GIVE $100.

First M. E. Church Sunday School to Donate That Amount for Carl Wright.

The Sunday school of the First M. E. church will give $100 to the Carl Wright fund, so it was announced Sunday. Nearly all of the classes contributed to the fund.

Working in Rock Pile.

John Hays was arrested Saturday night by Marshal Moberly and was fined $5 and costs Monday by Mayor Robey for being drunk. Being unable to pay the fine, Hays has to work on the rock pile back of the city jail. There are two city prisoners at work on the pile.

Was a Nice Rain.

Rain fell in Maryville Sunday afternoon and night, and according to Weather Observer Brink the rainfall amounted to 1.11 inches.

Were Arrested.

Rufus Palmer and Chester Williams, both colored, were arrested Monday by Marshal Moberly on a charge of being drunk.

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J. W. Ray and A. J. Anderson left Sunday for a several weeks' trip in Idaho. Mr. Ray will visit his son and daughter, Lawrence and Miss Alice Ray, at St. Anthony, Idaho, and may remain there during the summer.

Returned to Indiana.

Dr. Harry Hosmer left Monday morning for his home in Gary, Ind. Mrs. Hosmer and baby son will remain for a longer visit.

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Fashions Long Kept Up.

The British admiralty's annual order for black silk handkerchiefs for the navy, recently placed for 90,000, led to inquiry:, "why black?" It is said to be as mourning for Nelson's death at Trafalgar. Another instance of long-continued mourning is shown in the dark clothes officially worn by the Anglo-Saxon race; at the decease of the duke of Gloucester, Queen Anne's heir-apparent, the bar went into mourning and has never doffed this, though the lapse of the Stuart dynasty on the British throne was scarcely to be regretted. Doubtless the largest following of one fashion by men was after Alexander set the style of having the face clean-shaven; this was kept up by the Graeco-Roman world for five hundred years.

Youthful Musical Genius.

Rennes, a sleepy Brittany town which is known in contemporary history chiefly because the second Dreyfus court-martial was held there, has recently discovered in its midst a musical prodigy. A local professor vouches for this discovery. Young Rene Guillou is aged seven. He is not only a virtuoso on the piano; he is also a composer. He possesses ear to a remarkable degree, and distinguishes every note in symphonic music. According to the master, he hears music inwardly. He composes for voices and instruments without making use of any instrument whatever, writing down melody and accompaniment on to the paper.

WARSHIPS OFF FOR MEXICO

Two Torpedo Boat Destroyers Leave Under Sealed Orders.

TO CONVOY TRANSPORT BUFORD

Preble and Perry, Largest Vessels at San Diego—Forty Enlisted Men and Complete Hospital Equipment Taken Also.

San Diego, Ca., April 29.—Shortly after midnight the torpedo boat destroyers Preble and Perry, the largest vessels of the flotilla, slipped out of the harbor and went to sea with sealed orders. That they are bound for the west coast of Mexico is the general belief.

Buford's Orders Changed.

San Francisco, April 29.—The transport Buford, under orders to sail as a relief ship for 1,000 Americans in distress on the west coast of Mexico, received supplementary orders during the afternoon and sailed at 9 o'clock at night. She carries 40 enlisted men as a guard.

It is understood that the Buford put in at San Diego for a convoy. Robert T. Bain is navigation officer of the Buford, under command of Quartermaster Capt. Frank D. Ely. Capt. Herbert J. Brees of the first cavalry commands the guard. The ship carried a surgeon and complete hospital equipment.

American Girl Beaten.

Fort Worth, Tex., April 29.—A brutal assault by a crowd of Mexicans, daily threats of death, a bombardment of stones that crashed through windows and doors and a wild ride to the border was the experience of Miss Mamie Ross, a 19-year-old American teacher of music at Durango, Mexico. Miss Ross has just arrived here and says that a few days ago while 20 feet from her home she was attacked and beaten.

Tell of American's Murder.

San Francisco, Cal., April 29.—The steamer Newport arrived here bringing 57 passengers from ports in Western Mexico and details of the brutal murder of an American named White by a band of Mexican outlaws.

White, the owner of a plantation about 100 miles from Acapulco, was supposed to have considerable money. Bandits raided the plantation and when White refused to reveal the whereabouts of his money his captors trussed him up to a tree and then plunged their knives into his body.

Half of the Newport's passengers were women. Most of them came from Manzanillo.

Taft Left Out Politics.

Philadelphia, April 29.—President Taft let politics rest here. Questions of his renomination and his conflict with Col. Roosevelt, which has reached the stage of acute personalities, were forgotten and it was "Taft the student of history" who addressed the Union League club here. His topic was Gen. U. S. Grant, greatest of Northern generals, and he paid high tribute to the memory of the savior of the Union.

Senator Peffer Recovering.

Topeka, April 29.—W. A. Peffer, the first and only Populist United States senator from Kansas, has had to undergo a second operation. A leg was amputated seven weeks ago because of possible blood poisoning and surgeons found that part of the bone still was affected and had to be removed. The second operation was not serious and Senator Peffer is recovering rapidly.

Spend $1,500,000 on Levees.

Washington, April 29.—An immediate appropriation of $1,500,000 for the rebuilding and repairing of levees on the Mississippi and its tributaries was made certain when the house passed the senate's joint resolution authorizing the expenditure. Representative Humphries of Mississippi called for the resolution in the house, and it passed without objection.

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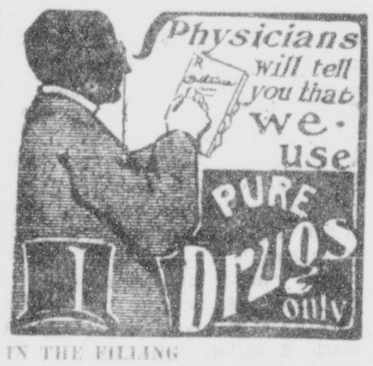

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Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, John F. Roelofson, public administrator, in charge of the estate of E. E. Bowers, deceased, will make final settlement of his accounts with said estate as such public administrator, at the next term of the probate court of Nodaway county, Missouri, to be holden at Maryville, in said county, on the 13th day of May, A. D. 1912.

JOHN F. ROELOFSON
Public Administrator

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Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Ada M. Jones, administratrix of the estate of James Jones, deceased, will make final settlement of her accounts with said estate as such administratrix at the next term of the probate court of Nodaway county, Missouri, to be holden at Maryville, in said county, on the 13th day of May, A. D. 1912. ADA M. JONES,
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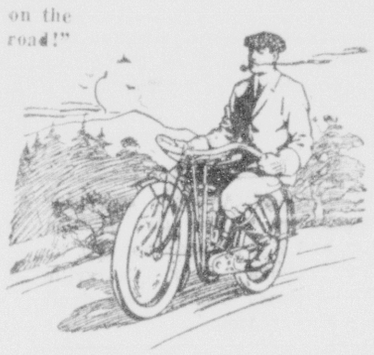

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Storm Starting in Texas, Leaves Path of Death and Destruction.

FIFTY-FOUR DEAD IN TWO STATES

Many Towns in Ruins, Trains Blown From Tracks and Wires Down Everywhere—Property Damage Will be Enormous.

Oklahoma City, Ok., April 29.—The death list of the tornado that swept a part of Oklahoma and Texas is expected to reach 60. Fifty-four deaths have been reported. The injured list will run into the hundreds. Wire facilities are demoralized and it is impossible to communicate with several of the stricken towns.

As detailed reports come in news from many places now inaccessible on account of high water and destruction of telephone lines probably will add to the losses already tabulated. It is now known that 20 towns were struck by the storm. Two of them, Butler and Foss, were destroyed.

The greatest loss of life reported is at Lugert, where 15 persons were killed. A special train sent from Altus with physicians and nurses when it was reported a passenger train had been blown from the rails, picked up ten injured persons and started back for Altus.

Two of these, Mrs. Lee Stanaland and Miss Eva Stanaland, died on the train.

Seven Killed in Texas.

The tornado started just across the Texas border and first killed seven persons at Kirkland, Tex., demolishing 30 buildings and blew a Rock Island work train off the track.

Tearing on northward, the storm struck Eldorado, killing four; Calumet, killing three, and Lugert; Rocky, where half the town is in ruins; Yukon, Warren, Martha, Blair and Lone Wolf. At each of these places many persons were injured. Several of these towns are cut off from communication. What is believed to be the tail of the storm destroyed several buildings at Mulhall, 50 miles north of Oklahoma City.

The storm entered the southwestern portion of the state and traveled in a northeasterly direction, almost across the state, rising and dipping again at intervals until it finally spent its force in Kay county.

Three Dead at Calmet.

At El Reno, two persons, Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Thompson, were killed, and William Moore, and an infant named Griffith, injured by the storm. At Calumet, ten miles west of there. Several buildings were blown down.

El Reno also reports that word was received there, before storms interrupted wire service, that the little town of Aledo, in Dewey county, was blown away.

In Texas the storm played greatest havoc near Kirkland, where seven persons were killed. Thirty farm buildings were wrecked and a Rock Island work train of nine cars was blown from the track. The wind was accompanied by a "cloudburst," Kirkland reporting a fall of four inches within 35 minutes.

SAYS LEAVENWORTH IS CLEAN

Mayor Files Answer to Contempt Proceedings in Topeka—Blames Other Towns for Trouble.

Topeka, April 20.—Mayor Albert Doege and B. F. Endres, city attorney of Leavenworth, were in Topeka and filed the answers in the contempt proceedings brought against the mayor, 17 police officers and several disorderly characters for violating the order of the supreme court in paying into the city forfeited bonds in lieu of license fees. In the answer it is shown that Mayor Doege had discharged the chief of police and seven patrolmen against whom the attorney general had evidence of incompetency. These were the police officers the attorney general found were not helping in keeping the joints closed.

The mayor, in his answer, asserted that Leavenworth was in good shape as far as law enforcement is concerned, but he shows that on the pay day of the soldiers at the fort and on pension day at the Soldiers' home, the bootleggers and disreputable characters from Kansas City and St. Joseph flock to Leavenworth.

Both Sides Named Delegates.

Dodge City, Kan., April 29.—The Republican convention, held here for the selection of delegates to the county convention, next Tuesday, ended in a split. The Taft men held a general caucus of all the wards and elected Taft delegates. The Roosevelt crowd held ward caucuses at the same time, in the same room, and elected Roosevelt delegates. The fight will be made over the delegates in the convention.

A $100,000 Fire at Joplin.

Joplin, Mo., April 29.—Fire starting at midnight in a department store at Eighth and Main streets spread to the second floor of the building used as an annex to the Clarketon hotel and caused a damage of $100,000 before placed under control at 1 o'clock a. m. Hotel guests sleeping in the annex escaped with their belongings.

ROAD BOOMERS CELEBRATED

FARMERS STOPPED WORK AND GATHERED AT SEDALIA.

Had Street Parade Ten Blocks Long, With Display of Road Machinery and Enthusiastic Speeches.

Sedalia, Mo., April 29.—"Sedalia has done more than vote $200,000 for rock roads in its own neighborhood. She has started a movement that will not end until every city in Missouri is connected by rock roads," declared Curtis Hill, state highway engineer, addressing hundreds of Pettis and Johnson County farmers here.

Sedalia and the farmers of its 12-mile road district stopped work to gather here and celebrate the voting of $200,000 in road bonds which carried 9 to 1 at a special election a week ago. Visitors came for miles around, thronging the streets like a state fair crowd. At 1 o'clock a street parade ten blocks long passed, gay with flags and bunting, through the downtown streets.

It was a display of road building machinery, road materials, advertising floats, bands and city folk and farmers in carriages and on horse back. The parade ended at the court house, where Curtis Hill of Columbia, C. C. Kelley, Judge George F. Longan and W. D. Steele, all of Sedalia, spoke to an audience that jammed full the circuit court room.

Judge Longan, as did Mr. Hill, urged Jonhson county, which adjoins Pettis to take up the proposed rock road to Kansas City. It was explained that Jackson county and Cass county already have a rock road to Pleasant Hill and to complete the route 42 miles of road in Johnson and seven in Cass are necessary.

The speakers were cheered in their pleas for more roads. It was one of the biggest good roads meetings ever held in the state, said Curtis Hill. During the day Mr. Hill was invited to address a similar meeting which will be arranged at Warrensburg early in May. Residents of that city here were eager that there be an early organization there for rock roads.

ST. JOSEPH YOUTH SHOT BROTHER

Fired Also at His Father and Escaped —Later Surrendered and Was Locked Up.

St. Joseph, Mo., April 29.—Charles Anderson, 19 years old, shot his brother, Walter, 27 years old, and then shot at his father, but the bullet went astray. Walter Anderson died in an ambulance on the way to the hospital.

The parents were arrested and the slayer escaped, but later surrendered to the police and was locked up. Young Anderson and his mother say he shot when the elder son struck the mother in a family quarrel in which the dead man and his father were arrayed against the younger son and his mother. The Andersons operate a transfer line.

NO PRIZE FIGHTS IN MISSOURI

Governor Hadley Threatens to Use Militia if Necessary to Stop Proposed Springfield Bout.

Jefferson City, April 29.—Gov. Hadley has addressed letters to Sheriff William E. Freeman and Prosecuting Attorney J. H. Mason of Greene county notifying them that if they do not take immediate official steps to prevent a prize fight advertised to take place at Springfield the night of May 2, in which Carl Morris is billed for a 10-round bout, he will invoke other authority to prevent the contemplated violation of law.

Asked what steps he would take in the event the local officers do not act, the governor replied that he would call out a company of the national guard.

Meningitis Death in Parsons.

Parsons, Kan., April 29.—The first fatality from spinal meningitis occurred here when the seven-months-old son of Mrs. Mollie Berry died. The child was sick only two days. The physicians are taking great precautions to prevent the spread of the disease.

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MAY DEPEND ON MASSACHUSETTS

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CAMPAIGN HAS BEEN STRENUOUS

Expected That 450,000 Voters Will Express Their Choice at First Presidential Primary Ever Held in Bay State.

Boston, April 29.—The answer of Massachusetts to the campaign pleading, either personally or by representatives of the five candidates for the presidential nomination, La Follette, Roosevelt, Taft, Clark and Wilson, will be made at the primaries on Tuesday. Owing to the complicated ballot and the absence of group voting, it is expected no definite result will be known until the next day, and it may be a day or two later before the actual identity of the 36 delegates to the Chicago and Baltimore conventions is known. This will be the first presidential preference primary ever held in the Bay state.

As the campaign has been one of the most strenuous in years it is expected that 450,000 voters will go to the polls.

The presence of both President Taft and Col. Roosevelt in the state during the closing hours of the campaign, the fact that they selected Massachusetts for their first personal political encounter and comments from political writers outside the state, have been taken as indicating a possibility that Massachusetts may make or mar the political fortunes of the president and the only living former president.

Ballots Complicated.

In giving Massachusetts a presidential preference primary, the legislature failed to make any provision for circle voting by groups. On the Republican ballot there are three sets of delegates; in the first are eight for Roosevelt; in the second eight for Taft and in the third only one candidate, who is also pledged to Taft, La Follette, Roosevelt and Taft appear in the presidential preference column.

There are sets of Roosevelt and Taft delegates in each of the 14 congressional districts, except the first, where the Roosevelt candidates will run on stickers. Republican voters must mark eight delegates-at-large, two district delegates and one of the presidential candidates.

Two are Sure of Election.

The Democratic ticket is even more unusual. There are 15 candidates for delegates at large, ten of whom are pledged to Gov. Foss, and one to Wilson, while four are without pledges. At least three of the Democratic candidates for delegates at large who are pledged to Foss seem certain of election and it is notable that although Gov. Wilson might win the presidential preference, he could obtain but one delegate at large.

In four of the 14 congressional districts only two delegates are named and are therefore sure of election.

Voting on Tuesday will begin in Boston at 6 a. m., but in most of the cities and towns the balloting will be later in the day and in three-quarters of them the polls will not close until 9 p. m.

SHOT DOWN HIS BRUTAL FATHER

Seventeen-Year-Old Iowa Boy Confesses Committing Deed to Save His Mother.

Des Moines, Ia., April 29.—Protesting that he killed his father to save his mother and that his sister Mabel 13 years old, knew nothing of the crime, A. J. Wayman, 17 years old confessed to the sheriff here that John Wayman met death at his hands in their home near Indianola.

The self confessed slayer, according to the sheriff, said that his father had struck his mother, severely injuring her and had threatened to kill him. He said a brother of his mother gave him the automatic rifle with which the shooting was done.

"After my father, my sister and myself had eaten supper, I went out to milk the cow," said Wayman. When I had finished this I returned to the house and shot at my father through the kitchen door. He fell at the first shot and died instantly. My sister and I hitched up a team and drove to Des Moines. She had nothing to do with the killing."

School Game Ends in Fight.

St. Louis, April 29.—The deciding baseball game for the district pennant offered by a newspaper resulted in a free for all fight between students of the Clark and Dozier schools in the exclusive West End. Richard Rawlings, a 12-year-old Clark schoolboy, was knocked unconscious with a baseball bat and several others were badly scratched and bruised.

Wed 59 Years.

Chapman, Kan., April 29.—John C. Sparks and his wife celebrated their 59th wedding anniversary here. They were married in Newcastle, Canada. Mrs. Sparks was born in England and came to America when she was 16 years old. They moved to Kansas in 1884. Mr. Sparks is 84 years old and his wife is 79. They have six children.

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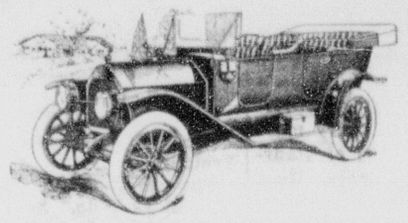

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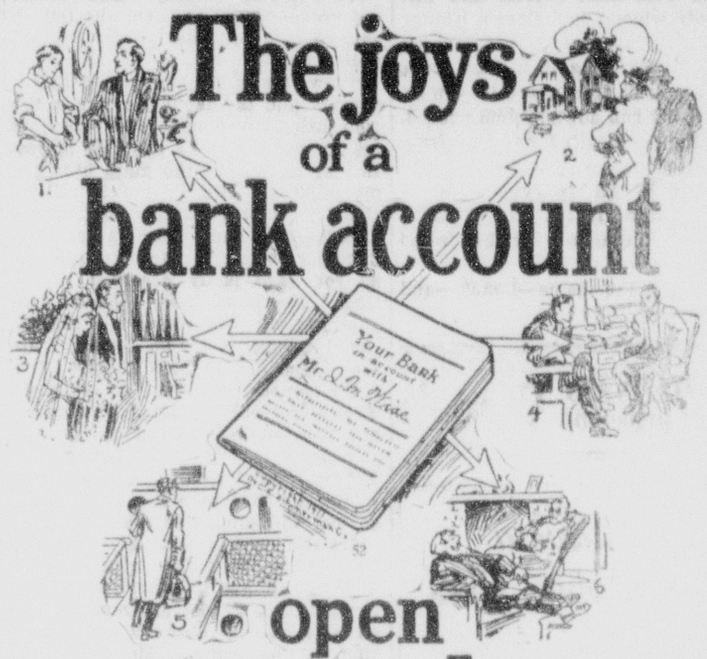

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The Vehicle Tax 1912 is now due and must be paid. Owners and operators of automobiles who intend to do a livery business are by Ordinance No. 500 to pay a license. Also owners of freight and dray wagons, which must now be paid.

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Yvette's Ghost

By Louise Heilger

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"Are you a ghost?" asked little Yvette.

The ghost smiled. "Now you know as well as I do," he told her, "that there are no ghosts left—the sensible people haave killed them all."

"What I can't make out," pursued Yvette, unheeding, "is how you got in here, and why no one else seems to see you—this morning, for instance, when I was sitting with my auntie in the morning room. The windows were shut, the door did not open, and yet all at once I looked up, and there you were standing smiling. And auntie got up suddenly—she said she felt a change—and left the room without seeing you?"

"Now, I ask you, do I look like a ghost?" said the handsome man in the well fitting tweed suit, as he rose from his chair and made a leisurely inspection of himself in the glass over the mantelpiece. "Do I clank? All respectable ghosts clank. Do I appear at midnight and point a spectral finger? Not a bit. My entrances are as you have justly observed, noiseless. The latest visit I have ever paid you was well within the conventional calling time. No, Yvette, I am too respectable to be a ghost."

He dropped back into his armchair. Yvette crossed the room with a pleasant little rustle of silk skirts, sat herself down on the sofa facing him, and considered him gravely.

"It's six months since you've been coming and going like this," she said reflectively. "The first time you came I remember you nearly frightened me to death. It was a winter's afternoon. I was sitting by the fire reading, and all of a sudden there you were sitting in the same chair staring at me."

"Well, you stared back at me," remarked the ghost. "You looked so pretty, too, with your flushed cheeks and the flame light dancing on your

"I'm nothing but your ghost, Yvette."

hair that I wonder I didn't kiss you then and there." His merry eyes danced as he noted her rising color. "Alas, that ghosts don't kiss, Yvette!" he finished whimsically.

"And when I asked you how you got in," pursued Yvette, pretending not to hear, "You told me you were a relative of the people we had just taken the house from, and had lived here so long you couldn't keep away. You said, too, you came to look for something; but you never told me what it was."

"Perhaps it was only a memory," said the ghost; and suddenly, though it was a warm afternoon, the room seemed very cold, so that Yvette shivered and was glad when a long streak of belated sunlight came gliding suddenly across the floor.

"And then you asked me not to tell any one I had seen you"—she returned bravely to the attack, though the fading day had stolen the sunshine back. "You said you knew a secret way of coming and going, and that no one but me would ever know you came."

"Well, no one does," retorted the ghost, "though I will admit I've had one or two narrow shaves. This morning, for instance, if your aunt had looked up before I slipped behind her I'd have been caught sure."

"Why, of course; how stupid of me!" cried Yvette joyfully. "That's how you arranged it, and auntie is short-sighted. Then you aren't a ghost after all. I'm so glad. Because sometimes, you know, I've been frightened about it, and wondered—"

"Foolish little Yvette," said the ghost tenderly. "Haven't I warned you not to take me seriously? No man, be he human flesh and blood and not merely dust and bones, is worth taking seriously. Smile, Yvette, and let me see how blue your eyes are when they look into mine. Love is short as life, Yvette; we must make what use of it we can."

"Have you ever loved?" asked Yvette, her white fingers pulling restlessly at the lace of her blouse.

"Heaps of times," replied the ghost promptly. "Some for a week and a day others for an hour. Once I loved till—" a frown creased his brow—"but let us talk of other things. Had I a heart left, Yvette, I would give it to you, but the worms have sucked the life from it. I'm nothing but your ghost, Yvette—"

There came a clatter of high-heeled shoes. The door flew open suddenly, and the noise of a gay voice tumbled into the rom.

"Dreaming in the dark, as usual," it called, while its owner stood hovering at the threshold. "Shall I come in and disturb you?"

"No," said Yvette," scrambling hurriedly to her feet, almost stumbling in her eagerness. "I was just coming down."

She passed her arm beneath that of the intruder, but her heart was fluttering still as they descended the stairs. Supposing he had been discovered? She needn't have troubled. Had she glanced back into the room as she came out she would have seen that anybody entering would have found nothing but the twilight and emptiness.

Some few days afterward Yvette, chancing to be in need of some quaint garments to help in the dressing of some quaint characters she was getting up, persuaded the old housekeeper to let her rummage in an old attic at the top of the house, where all such treasure trove was to be found. Yvette was repaid by the rare spoils brought to light. Yvette's laughter and chatter filled the somber room and deadened the sound of the rain outside. But presently the laughter stopped, and only the rain beat loudly on the sill."

"Who—who is that?" asked Yvette, white lipped as she held out a dusty photograph to the staring housekeeper, the photograph of a tall young man in tweed, with an exceedingly merry smile.

"Why, bless me," said the housekeeper, "if it isn't the picture of the young squire—him who owned Fox Craft manor. He was killed out hunting—a terrible stir it caused in the countryside, I remember."

"How long ago was this?" asked Yvette dully.

"Let me see," said the housekeeper, pondering; "a matter of 20 years or more, I should say. I was 'tweeny' maid in those days in this very house. Many and many a time have I seen him come riding up to this door. He was engaged to our young lady—a fine young lady she was, too—he was fair set on her. It seemed as if he was fair keep away from the house. She took on terrible when he died."

"Is she dead, too, then?" queried Yvette, still in that pale, small voice.

"She married a London gentleman afterward," said the housekeeper, "and had seven children. But I have heard she wasn't happy. She's been dead these four years or more," she added.

"Why did you think it necessary to lie to me?" asked Yvette very coldly of the ghost that evening.

The ghost, who was lounging comfortably in his favorite arm chair, suddenly sat upright. His dark eyes lingered long on her white face.

"So, little Yvette, you've found me out at last," he said quickly. "Well, I had meant to ring down the curtain myself on the little comedy long before this; but I was a coward. Yvette, afraid to face the dark, for I shall be very lonely, little Yvette, out there, all alone in the cold and the never ending night."

"But it wasn't me you came to see," said Yvette, standing before him, slim and drooping, in her white apron; it was that other girl—the one you were engaged to."

The ghose rose suddenly and came and stood beside her.

"I came to see you always after the first time," he said softly. "This first time I admit it was to revisit the spot where I had spent my happiest days, but afterward— Ah, Yvette, no one has eyes so blue as you. They make it hard for me to say goodby."

"But why should it be goodby?" cried Yvette, sharply, and moved toward him with extended arms. "Ghost or no ghost, I love you!" She strove to clasp him, but gently he eluded her.

"No one may love the dead," he told her gently. "The dead are beyond love, they are beyong life. My little Yvette, it must be goodby."

"Then if that is so," cried Yvette, weeping, "ah, kiss me once before you go! Only to feel your arms around me, only to feel your lips on mine, will comfort me in all the empty years."

She stopped. A strangled cry broke from her, a great gulf of cold air seemed suddenly to envelop her. She was frozen, frozen to the bone; then a merciful darkness came upon her, and she fell forward on her face.

In after years Yvette married, and was happy in her choice, but she never loved her husband as she had loved the ghost.—The Sketch.

Snowstorm in London.

There is always a touch of incongruity about snow in London. Gilbert White, who visited London on January 22, 1776, in a snowstorm, was surprised at the changed aspect of the city. He journeyed "through a sort of Laplandian scene, very wild and grotesque indeed. But the metropolis itself exhibited a still more singular appearance than the country; for, being bedded deep in snow, the pavement of the streets could not be touched by the wheels or the horses' feet, so that the carriage ran about without the least noise. Such an exemption from din and clatter was strange, but not pleasant; it seemed to convey an uncomfortable idea of desolation; ipsa silentia terrent.'—London Chronicle.

Nothing Insurmountable.

Nothing is impossible; there are ways which lead to everything; and if we had sufficient will we should always have sufficient means.—La Rouchefoucauld.

AVOID THE MAN THAT SNEERS

Whole Existence Spoiled for Unfortunate Wife Tied to Such an Individual.

How would you like to be tied for life to a snake whose fangs slowly poisoned your blood, though it is not avowedly dangerous?

Silly question, say you?

Cleopatra with her asp—which they say is only a myth these days—is no surer of extinction than is the wholesome woman who marries a man who sneers.

So often this sneer is hidden under polished exterior. The girl does not at first realize the sting. She calls her lover critical or particular, or perhaps thinks his cynicism a sign of breeding or great intellectuality.

She begins by heeding that sneer, first in trifles such as behavior or dress; later it gets in its deadly poison on ideals and principles.

It takes a brave woman and an exceptionally strong-minded one to stand out against the cynicism of the man she loves. Unconsciously she is influenced. Before she realizes the deadly influence her whole view of life is changed. A girl of sweet nature but not too much brilliancy, married to a sneerer, becomes nothing more than a faint record of his warped vision. She may start out trusting, unsuspicious, loving, but life with the sneerer leads her to wonder if there is such a thing as honor and truth and goodness in this bad world.—Exchange.

ONCE THE HOME OF AUDUBON

Beautiful Mansion Where Great Naturalist Died Is Now a New York Tenement.

In a dismal hollow, at the foot of One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, New York, overlooking the Hudson, is a great square house that looks as if it ought to be haunted—and perhaps it is. It was once magnificent. Its lawns were perfect and its fountains played in the sunlight. On every side of it were other handsome homes, and all the owners were friends of long standing. Now the granite wall of Riverside drive almost cuts into the roof of this fine old mansion. Italian laborers live in it and unkempt babies sprawl upon its porches. A giant apartment house towers over it and only the rays of the western sun ever reach its windows.

It is the old home of John James Audubon, the American naturalist, which he purchased in 1842 and lived in for some years with his sons Victor and John and their families. He died there in 1851 and was buried in Trinity cemetery, near the woods that formed part of his estate and which were later called Audubon park. For five or six years Aubudon park has been but a memory, only a few dilapidated homes remaining in a hollow hemmed in by modern "bureaus where people live in the drawers."

Satan's Pupil.

The wildcat of the north woods, red lynx, bay lynx, bobcat, or however we may elect to call him, has been described as a bundle of live wires actuated by the spirit of Satan. Running up to over 40 pounds in weight, he is as big as his finer-furred cousin, the tufted-eared Canada lynx, far handsomer and much more savage. I have seen them fight dogs desperately, and a full-grown wildcat will play havoc with a flock of sheep. But no cat has ever been known to attack man except in the effort to get away when cornered. Some time ago I found a man in Maine willing to swear before a notary that a bobcat had attacked him without provocation, but I concluded to abide by the advice of Manly Hardy, gone from us now, who wrote me that a man who would swear to anything of the kind was a born liar anyhow.—Edward Breck, in Outing.

Handy Book Marker.

Nothing hurts a book more, especially a new book, than laying it down open to keep the place. Instead of doing that, if you are liable to interruption in your reading get a stout rubber band and cover it with ribbon, gathered full enough to permit the band's stretching. Then when you need to lay it down it takes hardly a second to stretch the band and slip beneath it the pages read. Upon taking it up again you find your place automatically, moreover, the book mark cannot get lost. Take care to have the band strong enough to hold and big enough not to mar the end of the cover.

Sir Walter's Good Fortune.

Sir Walter Raleigh had called to take a cup of tea with Queen Elizabeth.

"It was very good of you, Sir Walter," said her majesty, smiling sweetly upon the gallant knight, "to ruin your cloak the other day so that my feet should not be wet by that horrid puddle. May I not instruct my lord high treasurer to reimburse you for it?"

"Don't meption it, your majesty," replied Raleigh. "It only cost two and six and I have already sold it to an American collector for £8,000."—Lippincott's.

Not in the Market.

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